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RED PATROL THRUSTS ACROSS KUM RIVER SMASHED

No breakthrough on Kum River

Advanced U.S. Headquarters in Korea, July 14, said today that there has been no breakthrough on the Kum River line. He conceded that several North Korea patrol crossings were attempted in broad daylight but said there was nothing alarming about the situation.

The informant denied the rumours of the Communist capture of an airstrip on the South side of the river. There was no knowledge here of any airstrip in the immediate area behind the American front lines.—United Press.

U.S. pilots destroy three Yaks

United States Air Base in Japan, July 14, American jet pilots today surprised seven Communist Yak planes on the ground at Kimpo airport outside Seoul and destroyed three.

Fifth Air Force jet pilots discovered the Yaks camouflaged on the ground and claimed the destruction of three in two days' missions. The second mission was driven away by heavy fire after one pass but before that Captain Millard U. Hodges, 40, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, destroyed one of the planes. He said he and his wingman also got a jeep.

Early in the evening a pilot on an earlier strafing mission spotted the Yaks which the Reds had attempted to hide at Kimpo. This flight of four F-86s claimed the destruction of two of those planes.

The mission in the Seoul area also claimed to have destroyed four trucks, one 40 mm. anti-aircraft gun, one medium tank and damaged one truck.

Combat strikes

Meanwhile, General MacArthur's Headquarters announced today that United States Air Force and Royal Australian Air Force aircraft strikes in the Korean war zone on Thursday, adds Reuter.

The results of both lighter and heavier attacks on North Korean military objectives were considered to be excellent in view of the increasingly bad weather conditions.

B-29 aircraft of the Far East Air Force's Bomber Command launched their first full-scale assault on targets at Wonsan, on Korea's North Eastern coast.

Heavy clouds made bombing by radar necessary and prevented an evaluation of the effects of the raid.—United Press and Reuter.

Soviet Colonels with N. Korean divisions?

Washington, July 14. Unconfirmed reports received here yesterday indicated there are about 15 Russian Colonels with each North Korean division in the Communist invasion.

There are believed to be six North Korean divisions engaged in the battle.

Although the military spokesman here said there was no confirmation on this report, he added the North Koreans are following the ground fighting strategy taught at the Russian war college. He said this is making a direct attack and then following with strong enveloping or encircling movements.—United Press.

The weather

At 0600 GMT (8 p.m. HKST) a weak ridge of high pressure from the Pacific anticyclone covers Japan. Pressure is low over N. Indo-China and S. China. A storm appears to be forming in the low pressure area to the S. of the Loochees.

Today's Forecast—Light or moderate southerly winds. Mainly fair, partly cloudy with occasional showers in early morning.

Tomorrow's Weather—Mainly fair, 70-80 deg. F. High, 80-90 deg. F. Low, 60-70 deg. F. Breeze light to moderate.

Rainfall: Trace. Total since Jan. 1—1046.0 mm. (41.1 in.) as against an average of 1100.0 mm. (43.1 in.)

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But Reds drive South on American flanks CROSSING ATTEMPTS DESCRIBED

Massed United States artillery smashed three Communist patrol thrusts across the Kum River today but other Red columns drove South on both the East and West flanks of the American line.

Reports from the Korean front said American guns on the South bank of the Kum above Taejon knocked out two Communist tanks and set fire to three villages during almost continuous bombardment of the enemy-held North bank.

A spokesman at advanced United States headquarters disclosed that a hitherto unreported Red spearhead had outflanked Taejon by driving to a point just North of the West coast port of Kunsan, 45 miles South West of the South Korean provisional capital. However, the force, described as "small enemy elements," was still on the North bank of the Kum.

The Kum River empties into the Sea of Japan after looping North around Taejon.

The main Communist thrusting attack was still making progress against South Korean forces holding the Central front North East of Taejon.

General Douglas MacArthur's afternoon communique reported that the North Korean Fifteenth and Fifth Divisions continued to press on to the South toward Hamhung, 45 miles East North East of Taejon, and Andong, 30 miles further East.

It said a "small infiltration" also appeared to be moving between these two columns toward Yechon. The offensive seemed designed to cut the United States and South Korean supply lines.

The communique said the situation remained unchanged on the East coast with the bulk of North Korean troops between Ulsan, 12 miles North of the United States base port of Pusan, and Samchok, another 34 miles to the North.

A United States warship shelling the East coast set fire to an oil storage tank and shelled bridges and troops, General MacArthur said.

U.S. artillery on East coast

A spokesman at the advanced headquarters disclosed that an American artillery unit had taken up positions on the East coast. He said its presence was responsible for erroneous reports released yesterday that enemy troops were concentrated 73 to 80 miles North of Pusan.

An air force communique reported for the first time that the target for Thursday's big B-29 raid was the North Korean port, railway centre and highway junction of Wonsan. Some 50 superfortresses dropped 500 tons of bombs on the target area. Because of heavy clouds, the crews bombed by radar and could not observe the results.

The North Korean radio, following the usual Communist line, claimed that a number of hospitals, schools and "cultural facilities" were destroyed, "peaceful citizens" and 20 to 30 doctors, nurses and patients killed or injured, the broadcast said.

One B-29 ditched off the Japanese coast on its way home. Six of the crew members were rescued by a fishing vessel and an air-sea search was underway for the remainder. A superfortress carries a crew of 12.

North Korean troops launched their most powerful patrol attack across the Kum River North of Taejon at 4:15 a.m. GMT, United Press correspondents said.

NATIONALISTS WITHDRAW FROM NANSHANWEI

Taipei, July 14. The Nationalist Navy announced today its withdrawal from Nanshanwei, off the Wanshan group before dawn yesterday. A communique explained the island had lost its strategic value.

Nationalist guerrillas were said to remain there to carry on their activities.—Associated Press.

South Korean Gov't moving

Somewhere in Korea (1300 GMT), July 14. The South Korean Government has for the moment pulled out of Taejon to an undisclosed location farther South.

This movement has been going on for several days and does not represent any sudden worsening of the Kum River situation.—United Press.

Robert C. Miller reported from the front. He said the Reds made two other attempts to push infiltrating patrols across the Kum River early today. Both were detected and only a few Communists survived the murderous artillery fire to reach the South bank. American Infantry took care of the survivors.

Miller said he could see half a dozen fires burning along a 15-mile stretch of the North bank from a forward observation post overlooking the Kum.

In beating back the attempt to ford the Kum River the United States artillery poured tons of shells at the advancing patrols and into the main force of North Koreans across the stream, front reports said.

Fanatical Red effort

A despatch from Robert Miller told of the fanatical North Korean effort to ford the Kum. The first North Korean attack came at 4 a.m. when a strong patrol rushed out on a quarter-mile long bridge, which had been blown up by American demolition crews.

The North Koreans threw themselves into the water and attempted to swim to the American side.

B-50 CRASHES IN ARIZONA

Tucson, Arizona, July 13. An Air Force B-50 bomber crashed in the rugged Crook National Forest early today and six of its 10 crew members parachuted to safety.

The body of one airman was found in the scattered wreckage and three others were reported missing.

Rescue parties began an intensive search of the mountainous crash area for the missing trio. Air Force base officials said there was a chance they may have parachuted some distance from the ridge where the six survivors landed.

State Highway patrolmen and Air Force rescue units reached the wreckage this afternoon, more than 12 hours after a rancher reported seeing a large plane crash in flames. Because of the rough terrain, the rescue party was forced to go on foot and horseback for 10 miles before it reached the crash scene.—United Press.

Australia to act against Red seamen

Canberra, July 14. The Australian Cabinet has decided to prosecute any person actively preventing the export of arms and equipment to servicemen abroad.

The Australian Attorney General, announcing this today, stated that enquiries were being made into the decision of the Communist-dominated Federal Seamen's Union to ban the transport of arms to Korea. He himself would make a decision next week.

It was learned that Ministers doubted whether it was possible to launch prosecutions at present because of the legal difficulties but the law authorities of the Crown had been instructed to try to procure evidence.

It had been suggested that the Government would not be able to move until the seamen refused to man a ship carrying arms to the war zone.

The Seamen's Executive, announcing the ban last Friday, declared that its members opposed making Australia "an American colony."

They then rejected a protest by some members against their move but another 200 seamen, meeting in Sydney today, demanded the resignation of the Executive, passed a formal motion of "no confidence" in them and demanded the return of the union management to the rank and file of the movement.

The Executive has called a general meeting of members on July 18 to discuss the position.—Reuter.

U.S. EVACUATION OF ISTANBUL CONSIDERED

Istanbul, July 14. The American Consulate-General in Istanbul today issued instructions "to its staff" and to members of the American colony here for their evacuation from the city in case of an emergency.

These instructions, issued on the grounds of the "delicate geographical position" of Istanbul, caused great anxiety among all classes throughout the city.—Reuter.

MacArthur receives United Nations flag

Tokyo, July 14. General Douglas MacArthur today received the United Nations flag which flew over the Headquarters of the Palestine Mediator, Count Folke Bernadotte, in 1948, to signify his command of the United Nations forces fighting in Korea.

The ceremony took place this afternoon on the roof of the General's Headquarters, the Dai Ichi building.

The flag was presented by General J. Lawton Collins, the United Army Chief of Staff, who brought it from New York.

A United Nations official attending the ceremony pointed out afterwards that it was the first time the flag had been used as a war standard. Hitherto it had been only a truce flag.

General Collins read out a letter from the United States Defense Secretary, Mr. Louis Johnson, in which he expressed the wish that General MacArthur would fly the flag until the successful completion of the Korean campaign.

General Collins pledged full American support for the campaign.

General MacArthur said that the flag is the symbol of one of the greatest efforts that man had made to free himself.—Reuter.

Commonwealth talks on Korean situation

London, July 14. The latest Korean developments were discussed today in top-level consultations between the Prime Minister, Mr. Clement Attlee, Commonwealth High Commissioners and leading Cabinet Ministers.

The meeting was followed immediately by a private discussion between Mr. Attlee and other Cabinet leaders with Mr. Menzies, the Australian Prime Minister, who arrived in London by air last night from Australia.

Officially, the British Ministers gathered to give Mr. Menzies a welcome and the Foreign Secretary, Mr. Ernest Bevin, made his first excursion from the nursing home, where he has been recovering from an operation, to be present.

But the subject of Korea is understood to have been in the forefront of the informal talks.

Mr. Attlee today gave the Commonwealth representatives a full account of the meetings in Moscow between Mr. Andrei Gromyko, the Soviet Foreign Minister, and Sir David Kelly, the British Ambassador to Russia.

Mediation efforts

It was later learned that at the Commonwealth High Commissioner's meeting with Mr. Attlee no reference was made to India's mediation efforts.

A Reuter despatch from New Delhi today said that India's External Affairs Department had reported that her Ambassadors in Moscow and Washington had conveyed personal messages from Pandit Nehru to Marshal Stalin and Mr. Dean Acheson, the US Secretary of State.

This development was bantered by evening newspapers in London on a headline running: "Nehru pleads with Stalin." The reports made references to "Korean peace moves."

But speculative reports suggesting that Mr. Nehru had proposed a "Big Three" meeting between Marshal Stalin, Mr. Truman and Mr. Attlee on the Korean situation were denied by informed quarters.

The personal message sent by Mr. Nehru to Marshal Stalin and Mr. Acheson is believed to say that India's attitude to the Korean affair is that it should be localised and a peaceful settlement arrived at as soon as possible.

India is understood to state her view that the main difficulty in reaching such a consummation is the deadlock in the United Nations organisation—which she thinks must be broken.

Communist China

India, it is understood, feels that if Communist China is brought into the Security Council, Russia is likely to return to the Council.

Then, within the Council or by informal talks outside, the United States, Russia and China, with the co-operation of other peace-loving members, can approach a peaceful and permanent solution of the present crisis.

India has appealed to Russia in the hope that, in the interests of world peace, she will try to help work out a solution on the lines suggested. It was understood—Reuter.

YUGOSLAVIA TO GET UN AID IF ATTACKED

Lake Success, July 14. The United Nations Security Council will move to help Yugoslavia with lightning speed if her Balkan neighbours attack her, United Nations delegates said today.

Yugoslavia, menaced by the massing of Cominform troops on its borders, will seek action by the Security Council at the first act of aggression, informed sources indicated.

But most delegates doubted that the Balkan tension would flare into war, at least in the immediate future, despite increasing reports from that area about mobilisation of Bulgarian, Hungarian and Rumanian troops.

The Yugoslav delegation to the United Nations, lacking instructions from Belgrade except to await developments, could not say how much active aid, if any, Marshal Tito would seek from the Security Council in the event of a new Balkan war. But Dr. Ales Bebler, chief of the delegation, while expressing concern about troop movements on Yugoslavia's border, pointed out that there had been similar reports for the past year.

Asked whether he believed the current massing of troops would lead to open war, Dr. Bebler replied: "I cannot say." But he acknowledged concern about the hostile Press and radio broadcast from the capitals of Cominform countries. These outlets of Soviet propaganda charged that the United States was giving Yugoslavia military supplies, assistance and advice and was transforming the country into an American base.

No U.S. officers. Dr. Bebler said: "Nothing could be further from the truth. There are no American officers in Yugoslavia in the first place. In the second, place, we have no military agreements with any foreign country."

These unfriendly charges are relatively new, he could, of course, be psychological preparation for aggression under the guise of "preventive war." The possibility cannot be excluded. But as for overt military moves right now against Yugoslavia, that is a guess.

Although Yugoslavia voted against the imposition of fighting sanctions in the Korean war, observers believed the United Nations would have no choice but take a similar course in the event of a Balkan invasion. A precedent, they are convinced, has been set in the Korean case and must be followed in the future if the United Nations is to command world respect.

Yugoslavia's opposition to sanctions against Communist China was dictated by more than ideological considerations, observers pointed out. They believed that with an estimated 500,000 Cominform troops on its border, Marshal Tito was not ready to provoke Moscow further.

Border closed

Hungary closed a 10-mile strip along her border fronting Yugoslavia today, adds a United Press report from Budapest.

Passengers on board the ferry launch Man-Chi yesterday were eye-witnesses of a dramatic jump into the harbour by three middle-aged Chinese women, followed immediately by a harpist rescue by four personnel of the Marine Department.

Assistant Marine Officer F. E. Brook of the Licensing Office, in his report on the incident, stated that he was on his way in a patrol launch from the island to Yau-mat at 11:15 a.m. when he heard shrill blasts of a police whistle and saw three persons struggling in the water near the ferry launch Man-Chi.

As soon as his launch reached the scene, AMO Brook and three seamen jumped into the harbour and rescued the women.

In his report, AMO Brook also stated that the three women were holding hands when they jumped into the water.

The women were taken to hospital.

INVASION OF TIBET REPORTED

Quoting well-informed sources in Tsinchun, the local vernacular "Wah Kiu Yat Po" said yesterday that some 30,000 men of China's People's Liberation Army have crossed into Tibet from Sinkiang.

Sequel to Sport

Every sport has its special lingo, from polo to pole-vaulting, from deck-tennis to squash. Yet strange to say, there are few phrases to describe that pleasant part of all, when a man cools off in the clubhouse and holds his inquest on the game. Golf has its Nineteenth Hole, of course; but cricket has no Eleventh Wicket, or rugger a Third Half.

Perhaps it is not so strange after all. For how can words really describe the bliss of sinking into a deep chair, and relaxing the stiffened muscles one by one? Or of rewarding the parched throat with that first long glass of Rose's Lime Juice, led to the frothing point?

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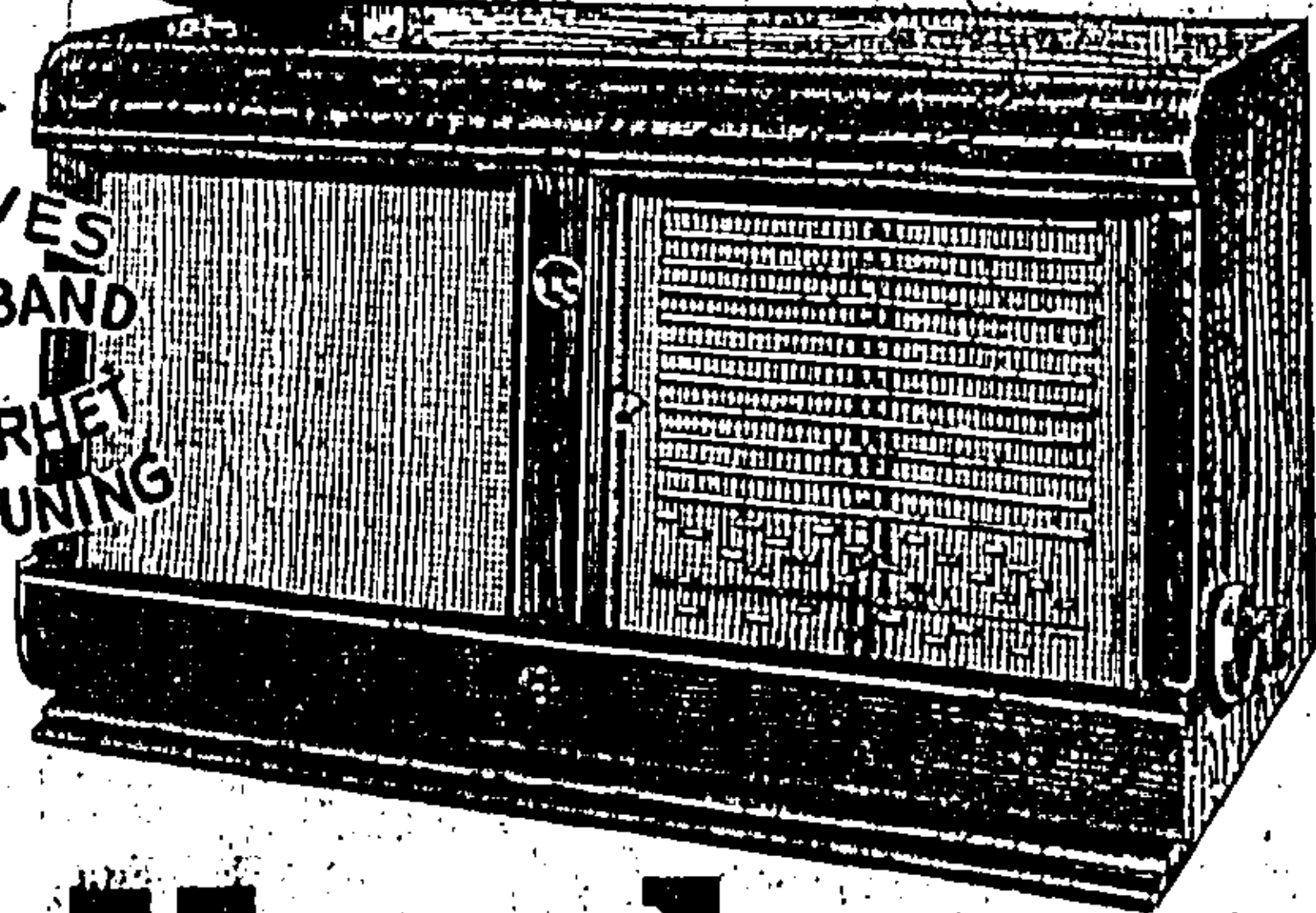
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HONG KONG AND WAR MATERIALS

Sir—It has been said that history unfavourably repeats itself, and those of your readers who were resident locally in the years 1940/41 will undoubtedly have noted the similarity between the trend of events in these years and those developing in Hong Kong today.

In 1940/41, vital war materials were being shipped from the Colony, either directly or via Shanghai, to the only possible aggressor nation in this part of the globe, and many of us have reason to remember the form in which they were returned.

Today we see materials equally vital to the prosecution of a war being shipped to the new potential aggressor across the border. Every ship and every freight train which leaves the Colony for China carries such materials—oil, scrap iron, steel, heavy machinery, etc., the fruits of which will as surely come home to roost in the not-too-distant future as did those shipped to Japan.

Millions of dollars have been, and are being, spent by the taxpayers both here and at home to ensure that Hong Kong shall be rendered as impregnable as our resources will permit, yet the anomaly of simultaneously permitting the shipment of potential war materials to a probable aggressor has apparently not impressed itself upon either the consciousness or consciences of those by whom we are dictatorially governed.

It is time our local Government, even if the Home Government has neither the good sense nor courage to do so, should impose an embargo upon the export of all such materials to China. If our alleged statesmen at home cannot see what their miserable attempt at obtaining recognition from the Communist Government of China is leading to, they should take a long, hard look at Korea. The lesson is plain enough. There can be no appeasement of Communism, and our local Government, by permitting the shipment of potential war materials to China, is following a line of appeasement which may cost the defenders of the Colony dearly.

Perhaps, having rendered the Colony so strong, Government thinks it hardly cricket to leave any possible aggressor any weaker. Make no mistake, the enemy will be no weaker—and the Communists do not play cricket.

Yours faithfully,
"W."

ARMED ROBBERY
While walking along Bowen Road, at about 11.45 a.m. yesterday an unarm was confronted by an armed man who robbed her of a gold watch, valued at HK\$500.

French reception



Hong Kong's French community commemorated their National Day yesterday. Mr. Robert Jobez, French Consul-General in Hong Kong, was the host at a cocktail reception at The Grippa, Hong Kong Hotel, last night. Among the distinguished guests was Mr. J. F. Nicoll, Officer Administering the Government. Mr. Nicoll (left) and Mr. Jobez are shown drinking the toast to the President of France. ("China Mail" Photo).

Judgment for plaintiff in trusteeship case

Judgment for the plaintiff was given by the Senior Puisne Judge, Mr. T. J. Gould, at the Supreme Court yesterday in an action involving the trusteeship of property at No. 99, Connaught Road West.

The plaintiff, Leung Ping-kwan, of 69 Pokfulum Road, executor of the will of Leung In-ah alias Leung Tat-cheung Tong, was represented by Mr. John McNeill, KC, instructed by Mr. P. C. Woo.

Warning on Shanghai price rises

Mr. Wu Sih-chih, the Minister of Trade for East China, told Shanghai's industrial and commercial leaders that the city faced a bright future in industry and commerce.

He was reported to have warned, however, that this favourable trend of events must be carefully protected and developed, especially against the disturbing symptom of price rises.

The Minister said that some of the prices of imported goods had gone up as a result of the invigoration of industrial production following a period of dullness, but in some cases was due to the former's policy of raising prices in order to make exorbitant profits.

The Minister, speaking of the overall picture, thought that after the autumn festival Shanghai faced an even brighter prospect with an abundance of food supplies and with the purchasing power of the farmers raised.

He estimated that China's cotton production would total 1.3 million piculs. In addition many of China's export items were expected to increase in volume. Reuter.

American evacuation rumour denied

Reports in the Chinese Press yesterday, that American firms in Hong Kong had been making preparations to evacuate all American personnel from the Colony were denied yesterday by eight American firms.

All the firms checked said that they had received no directions from their home offices in the United States to make evacuation preparations, and had issued no such instructions to their personnel from their offices here.

One American oil company official explained that "no doubt many of our American personnel thought a good deal about how they would leave the Colony in an emergency, especially in view of an earthquake in Korea, but this company issued no such evacuation directions."

A large number of Hong Kong residents did call various travel agencies on Thursday asking for information on evacuation from Hong Kong after the rumour that the American Embassy, located at the Peking Hotel in Kowloon, was being evacuated. Some evacuees were booked, but these were cancelled yesterday.

Defendant's denial

Chan Man-po, denying the charge against him, said the plaintiff had no authority to act for the firm which was originally started by defendant's father with 22 other partners one of whom was plaintiff's father.

Later, some of the partners relinquished their shares, leaving only 22, of whom 10 were of the Chan family.

The shares in the firm were valued at HK\$13,450. Plaintiff's father's share was only \$500 whereas defendant's father's share was \$2,200.

The property was entrusted by the shareholders to defendant and Chan Chin to look after.

Judge's remarks

After hearing submissions from both sides, Mr. Justice Gould told defendant he had not been sitting as a trustee should have acted, and had collected money for his personal use.

He ordered Chan's name to be removed as trustee and that plaintiff be appointed in his place.

Defendant was ordered to execute the necessary assignments for the purpose within 14 days.

He was also ordered not to collect any more rent, and to repay plaintiff within 14 days the sum of HK\$3,000 in respect of rents he had collected.

Plaintiff was instructed to file with the Court quarterly accounts for two years of his trusteeship. Costs were awarded plaintiff.

DONATION ACKNOWLEDGED

A donation of \$500 to the Hong Kong Branch of the Red Cross Association was acknowledged by Mr. J. F. Nicoll, Officer Administering the Government, yesterday.

Personalia

Messrs. M. Menier, W. Leeb, Leung Sin and Tan So-yat left for Hong Kong yesterday by Air France.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Vial, Mrs. G. Sauvage, Miss J. da Silva Ramos, Messrs. A. M. da Silva Ramos, J. E. da Silva and B. Flanagan left Hong Kong for Saigon yesterday by Air France.

Sir Robert Urquhart, former British Consul-General at Shanghai, left Hong Kong for the United Kingdom yesterday by BOAC.

Captain J. D. B. Bulley, Messrs. A. J. Bird, K. P. Williamson, A. C. Campbell-Ord, Yan Mun-lam, O'Brien Twobly, and Mrs. J. M. Somerville left Hong Kong for London by BOAC yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Bollani left for Rome yesterday by BOAC.

Sir Hilton Foynt, Deputy Under-Secretary of State, will speak over Radio Hong Kong tonight in the weekly feature "Saturday Round-up" in a 15-minute talk. Sir Hilton will describe his work.

The Acting Chief Justice, Mr. E. H. Williams, will formally open the Photographic Society of Hong Kong's annual exhibition of pictorial work on Monday at 5.30 p.m. at 217A, Prince's Building. The exhibition will remain open until July 26. Admission is free.

Salvage work on ss. Anhui continuing

Salvage work is still proceeding on the damaged British ship, ss. Anhui in Swatow harbour, but it is not yet definitely known when that ship can be towed back to Hong Kong for final repairs.

More than 60 salvage workers are reported engaged in the salvage operations on the 3,000-ton vessel, which struck a Nationalist mine in Yü Yu channel six weeks ago while attempting to enter the South China port of Swatow.

However, no more interference from Nationalist gunboats or aircraft has been reported since the middle of last month. Then for two successive days, Nationalist planes attacked the stricken Anhui and a Moller's Ltd. tug.

The British frigate, HMS Hart, opened fire on the Nationalist planes on the second day's attack. It is understood that the plan now is to refloat the ship, and complete sufficient repairs to enable her to be towed to Hong Kong where she would be placed in drydock.

Wild Birds Ordinance

An amendment to the Wild Birds Ordinance published yesterday's "Government Gazette" deleted from the form of Game Licence, issued under the Ordinance, the condition exempting the licensee from the provisions of Section 4 of the Arms and Ammunition Ordinance, 1933.

An official explanatory note states that the amendment is consequential upon the enactment of the Arms and Ammunition (Amendment) Ordinance, 1950, which (inter alia) authorizes the Commissioner of Police, in his discretion, to grant to any person a written exemption from the necessity to obtain a licence to carry or have in his possession or under his control arms or ammunition.

Any person who holds a Game Licence under the Wild Birds Ordinance, 1922, is under an obligation to obtain a licence under section 4 of the Arms and Ammunition Ordinance, 1933, unless under section 2 of the latter Ordinance he obtains a written exemption from the Commissioner of Police.

BASTILLE DAY CELEBRATED

The French National Day was celebrated by a Cocktail Party given by the French Consulate-General of Hong Kong, Mr. R. Jobez, at the Grippa, Hong Kong Hotel yesterday.

Many distinguished guests were present, including the Honorable Mr. J. F. Nicoll, Officer Administering the Government.

In proposing a toast to King George VI, Mr. Jobez stressed the importance to both countries of the friendship between England and France.

Mr. Nicoll replied by proposing a toast to the President of France.

MAN FALLS INTO WELL

While digging a well in Third Street near the Tuen Yik Hospital, yesterday at 10.30 a.m., a man fell into the well.

The man, who was about 40 years of age, fell into the well which reached to a depth of more than 20 feet.

The assistance of the Fire Brigade had to be called and with the help of ladders from two of the fire engines the man was rescued.

Talk on British Education heard by Sino-British Club

A talk on British Education was given by Mr. A. J. E. Luff, MA, at a meeting of the Sino-British Club held at the British Council Library yesterday.

Mr. Luff compared Education of today with Education as it was some 30 years ago.

He said that the Second World War revealed the flaws in the old system of education when classes held between 50 to 60 students.

In such classes the bright students were retarded while the students with low IQs were, in the main, neglected. This was revealed during the Second World War in the various branches of the Services which called for less highly trained men. They revealed the weakness that existed in British Education, the result of understaffed schools and overcrowded classes.

After the discovery of the weakness in British Education a new Educational Programme was introduced and the Ministry of Education developed the discussion and project methods into the schools with remarkable success.

The following is a summary of Mr. Luff's talk:

"In order that we may understand what is happening in British Education today, it is necessary that we strike some comparison. That is best done by looking back over some thirty years when the Act of 1918 should have been operating. The fact is this Act never did get going. It was held in abeyance and the Second World War caught up with it. This Act, known as the Fisher Act, had as its policy the removal of barriers between Secondary and Elementary Education. The school-leaving age was to be raised from 14 to 15 years; continuation schools were to be established where boys and girls were to attend for part-time education until the completion of their sixteenth year; and the Act also provided for continuation schools attendance up to the age of eighteen."

"The reason why this Act was held in abeyance was the cost. The world-wide economic depression from which, of course, Britain suffered, restricted the funds voted for education. No useful purpose was served by going over the arguments of the Act then. Naturally, schools were in poor shape. Insufficient funds meant inadequate staffs; inadequate schools; inadequate teaching aids; but the greatest evil was overcrowded classes. Any teacher will admit that it is impossible to instruct a class of fifty to sixty children and at the same time give the individual attention necessary. What it meant was that the bright scholars were retarded while the low IQs were, in the main, neglected. The consequences of this were soon to be revealed. There is an English proverb that says: 'It is an ill wind that blows nobody any good.' As far as education in Britain is concerned, that could be said of the Second World War."

The War and the Citizen Soldier

Modern warfare does not require Tennyson's soldier who is 'not to reason why.' In fact, had he reasoned at the time of the charge commemorated by Tennyson, the charge would not have been made; the order to advance by a commander unable to reason it was desired of the soldier that he could understand the pamphlet and text book, that he clearly appreciated the significance of written orders. The more technical the branch of service, the higher was the standard of education required."

The weakness was revealed in the branches of service that called for less highly trained men. Here, astonishing as it may seem after seventy years of compulsory education in Britain, illiterates were found in the ranks. They came from low IQ groups; nevertheless they revealed the weakness that existed in British Education, the result of understaffed schools and overcrowded classes.

"During the years preceding 'D' Day in Europe, the Army, under the watchful eye of a Government Department, proceeded to establish an Educational Programme with a three-fold purpose: (1) To teach the illiterates; (2) To inform the more educated soldier on current affairs and citizenship; (3) To establish Formation Colleges, where the soldier, before returning to civilian life, could take a course in any subject from the 'A to Z' Manual and Technical Courses. My reason for mentioning this is it was here the Government experimented in teaching methods and it was largely the success that attended such experiments that led the Ministry of Education to develop the discussion and project methods into the schools."

"It was the Labour Government that carried out the Education Programme under the 1944 Education Act. The scheme itself was comprehensive and difficult enough under normal circumstances, but to put it into operation following a war that had wiped out a number of school buildings, that had taken so many teachers into the services, that had even made teaching training, seemed quite impossible. It is said that the Government would have been better advised to postpone the scheme, but the public had been educated to expect it."

"He is aided towards the fullest expression of his own personality. The outcome is to help create the tolerant, broadminded individual, fit to take his place in the world. All liberal-minded people hope to see established," the speaker concluded.

ALLEGED ABDONDING

A report was made to the Central Police Station by the manager of an export and import firm in Pedder Building that at 4 p.m. yesterday a fook absconded with HK\$55,000. The manager said that he had sent the fook with the money to a money exchanger on the ground floor and the fook failed to return to the firm.

WHIST DRIVE

The Hong Kong Women's International Club held a Whist Drive for the Forces at the Club on Thursday night.

The prize winners were A. C. Milligan, Sgt. Crombie, C. Petty Officer, McGarvey, Cpl. Hildy and Sgt. Ball.

Next Thursday, July 20, there will be a picnic at the Lido, Kowloon Bay.

Due to the increase in the number of Service personnel attending these parties, those wishing to participate in future picnics should apply for tickets from the Club Secretary, Gloucester Building Room 105, between 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

PLASTIC SPRAY

Plastic spray, the latest in clear protective coating, is available in a wide range of colors and finishes. It is easy to apply and dries quickly. It is ideal for protecting wood, metal, and other surfaces from moisture, dirt, and wear. It is also available in a clear finish for a natural look.

THE EVERGREEN

Tenancy Tribunal clerk charged with corruption

Reminders

Today

Diocesan Girls' School Old Girls Association, annual reunion, at DGS 2.30 p.m.
NAAFI Club, beach picnic, 2.30 p.m.; tombola, 7.30 p.m.
Chicago Services Club, tombola, 7.30 p.m.
Nine Dragons Services Club, tombola, 7.30 p.m.
YWCA Bazaar, sponsored by Home Department of YWCA, 38C, Broomfield Road, 10 a.m.
St. Andrew's Church excursion for Forces, 2 p.m.
HK & Yau-mat Ferry Co., Ltd., Jordan Road, meeting, 12 noon.
Boys' and Girls' Clubs Association Annual Flower Day.

Coming events

TOMORROW
Toe H. classical concert, 50, Macdonnell Road, 8.30 p.m.
NAAFI Club, beach picnic, 2.30 p.m.; tombola, 7.30 p.m.
European YMCA Armchair Group meeting talk by Mr. J. Brogden, 8.45 p.m.

Court Brevities

On a charge of driving away private car 8094 early yesterday morning at Kam Tin, New Territories, James Wallace and Robert Rowe, were charged by Mr. d'Almada at Kowloon yesterday.

Wallace was also charged with driving without a licence. Sub-inspector Jack Dempsey prosecuted.

Sentence of two months' imprisonment was imposed on Chung Shui-wah by Mr. d'Almada at Kowloon yesterday for the larceny of \$1,015 from the pocket of Ng Yu-wai of the Imperial Dancing Hall on July 4.

Chung was alleged to have picked Ng's pocket while the latter was waiting at a bus stop in Nathan Road near Saloon Street. Chung was alleged to have thrown the money to the pavement after he was caught by complainant. With the help of two policemen he was taken to the police station. Sub-inspector J. H. Evans prosecuted.

Henry Frederick Adams, aged 26, unemployed, was fined \$25 or seven days by Mr. d'Almada at Kowloon yesterday on a charge of drunkenness at the Marine Police Station early yesterday morning. Defendant was cautioned on a charge of disorderly conduct at the Kowloon Hospital.

Inspector J. Orem said that defendant was when the police officers when he got drunk and fell to the floor. When he was taken to the hospital he became very disorderly and had to be handcuffed to be brought back to the station.

Edward David Sykes, aged 66, broker, appeared before Mr. Hin-shing Lo at Central yesterday on a charge of obtaining money by false pretences.

Defendant was alleged to have obtained \$410 from Ng Wong between May 12 and May 14 by pretending that he could obtain a bus conductor's post for Ng of the China Motor Bus Company.

Detective Sub-inspector Hart-tam told the court that Ng Wong was introduced to Sykes by a classmate in order to obtain employment at the China Motor Bus Company. The sum of \$410 was paid to Sykes, he alleged.

When Ng failed to get employment he reported the matter to the police.

Sykes is on bail of \$400 in cash and \$600 surety. The case will be heard on Monday at 2.30 p.m.

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The trial of Lai Kai-hong, alias Franky Lai, Tenancy Tribunal clerk, charged on three counts of corruption, began before Mr. James Wicks at Kowloon yesterday.

It was charged that the 29-year-old clerk on April 18 corruptly received \$400 from a woman, Szeto Yuk-kiu, as a reward or inducement to arrange the eviction of her sub-tenants of 422 Reclamation Street, ground floor; that on March 27 he received \$200 from the same woman as a reward or inducement to forward her application for the eviction of her principal tenant; and that on March 31 he received \$400 from Wong Ting-cheung on behalf of his aunt, Szeto Yuk-kiu, as a reward or inducement to proceed with her application for the eviction against the tenants of the same address.

Defendant was represented by Mr. J. L. V. D'Alton, instructed by Mr. J. C. Stewart, while Inspector C. J. Askew prosecuted.

Inspector Askew giving evidence said that on April 18, he was handed \$400 by Mr. A. A. Shaw, Assistant Superintendent of Police, of the Anti-Corruption Branch, together with a list of the numbers of the banknotes. At 8.30 p.m. of the same day he went to the Police Station in Boundary Street, where he met Szeto Yuk-kiu and her brother, Szeto Kwong. He handed the money over to the woman and she proceeded with her brother to defendant's address at 24 Fa Hu Street. They were followed by a party of police and he himself was walking about 50 yards behind.

Witness said he saw complainant and her brother go up the stairs; but they came down again and they walked around for another 20 or 30 minutes when they returned to go up the stairs again. They came down a few minutes later accompanied by a man.

The police party closed in and Inspector Hui called out to him. He approached the defendant and asked him his name and he replied: "Lai Kai-hong of the Tenancy Tribunal."

Inspector Askew then explained to defendant his mission and said to him: "I have reason to believe that you have just accepted money from the woman who has just left."

Fighting in Korea

(Continued From Page 1)

The despatch from Miller indicated that the American front along the Kum extends for 15 miles. He said that after dawn he could see fires burning at a half dozen places along the winding river valley. As the night faded a relative quiet descended on the river front where the Americans had the advantage of the broadest field of fire their positions had given them since arriving in Korea.

The Americans are confident they could hold out on this line, which is the best they have had in the Korean fighting, but they braced themselves for an all-out attack which most men on the front expected within a matter of hours.

Red division replaced

General MacArthur, in a communique issued at 2.30 p.m. today, said the Sixth North Korean Division had replaced the Red First Division which has spearheaded the North Korean attack against the Americans.

The communique said that it appeared this division was withdrawn because of the battering inflicted upon its troops by the U.S. 34th Infantry Regiment stationed now in the vicinity of Sonju, 17 miles North West of Taichung.

The North Korean division also was weakened by its skirmishes with a battalion of the 21st Infantry, the communique said, and by American air strikes on its armour and communications.

Lieutenant-General Walter H. Walker, commanding general of the Eighth Army, who yesterday was named commander of the U.S. line in Korea, visited the front headquarters today. Earlier he conferred in South Korea with Korea's President Syngman Rhee and the United States Ambassador, Mr. John Muccio.

At the front he issued a proclamation, in which he said: "There is no question whatever about the outcome of this struggle. We will win."—United Press.

TROOPS GAOLED FOR PART IN WESTERLING COUP

Jakarta, July 16.

More than 100 troops of the Royal Netherlands Indies Army were sentenced from 10 months to one year's imprisonment today for taking part in Captain "Turco" Westerling's attack on Bandung last January.—Reuter.

PLANE CRASHES IN NORTH SEA

Notterdam, July 16.

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Seen here are some of the Larry Smith Tour party, one of three organized tour groups arriving here last night by the Presidential Cleveland. Among them are Larry Smith, organizer of the party and former Far East Representative of INA, (extreme left), Hollywood dancer Fay Adler (second from left), and Mrs. Cliff Work, wife of the President of Universal International Pictures (extreme right). ("China Mail" Photo).

American tourists invade Hong Kong

Groups of American tourists, coming from various American cities, including Hollywood, disembarked at Kowloon Wharf last night from the luxury liner President Cleveland and invaded Hong Kong stores on a shopping spree.

Sight-seeing tours round the Island, special Chinese dinners and a visit to a Chinese opera are among the itinerary planned for the visitors, most of whom are seeing the Far East for the first time.

Organized tourist parties include the Larry Smith Tour party of 15, the 12-person Albers group and a party of Shriners.

Heading the Larry Smith Tour group is former Far East Representative of the International News Service Larry Smith himself. Mr. Smith, who is accompanied by his wife, both of whom have visited Hong Kong before, is arranging the tour in conjunction with the China Travel Service.

A former newspaperman who began his journalistic career with the Hearst group and later with the National Broadcasting Service as a news announcer during the war, Mr. Smith entered the touring business last year. This is his first party to the Far East.

"I am planning a world tour by the new American President's Line's new liner, President Hayes," the travel organizer said.

Hollywood dancer

Among the Larry Smith party is Hollywood dancer Fay Adler, listed in the Who's Who list of the President Cleveland as Mrs. Fay Morris. Mrs. Morris is seen here with her husband, Mr. Morris, who is also in the party.

"I've been dancing since I was a little girl—among the pictures I've appeared were 'My Little Chickadee' with W. C. Fields, 'Pinocchio' and Ichabod and Mr. Toad," she said.

Dutiable Commodities Ordinance

A revised list of fees chargeable under the Dutiable Commodities Ordinance, 1931, was published in yesterday's "Government Gazette". Details are:

1. For every transfer of or substitution or amendment in any licence, not otherwise specified, except a transfer from one person to another: \$3.

2. For every transfer of any licence from one person to another, not otherwise specified: \$5.

3. For every certificate of the Government Chemist that any denatured spirits are non-dutiable: \$5, or one-twentieth of the duty on the spirits denatured, whichever is the greater.

4. For goods stored in the Department of Commerce and Industry by permission of the Director: \$1 a package a day or part of a day.

5. For attendance at a general bonded or licensed warehouse: for a Revenue Inspector, 30 an hour; for Revenue Officer, \$2.50 an hour; or such other fee as the Governor-in-Council in any special case may determine. Provided that the minimum fee for any one occasion shall be \$10.

The effect of the revisions repeals and re-enacts the existing law, but subject to small increases in respect of storage charges for goods.

EBONOL SINKING

The decision of the Court of Inquiry into the sinking of the British freighter ss. Ebonol will be given in the Marine Court at 10 a.m. today.

The ss. Ebonol sank as the result of an explosion when she was leaving Swatow on May 24.

An official order under the Registration of Foreign Ordinances, 1959, has been issued making it compulsory for all licensed hawkers to apply for registration. Every member of the family of a licensed hawker more than 15 years of age must also apply for registration.

Man sentenced for Pokfulam hut attack

Choung Chi-chung, alias Cheung Chung-ping, aged 22, was sentenced to two years' hard labour by Mr. J. Reynolds at Central yesterday when he pleaded guilty to a charge of maliciously inflicting grievous bodily harm on Yu Sze-chung on June 28, at an unnumbered hut on the hillside off Pokfulam Road.

Detective Sub-inspector John F. Gale for the prosecution told the court that defendant first went to the hut on the morning of June 28.

Defendant found complainant was out but complainant's wife was there. Defendant then made certain overtures to complainant's wife which she rejected. She told defendant to leave the hut or she would call the police. Defendant left, telling the woman to be careful.

On the night of June 27, complainant and his wife were roused by a noise. The woman saw defendant run off with some property but as there was no light she might have been mistaken.

On the morning of June 28 complainant and his wife were sleeping in the hut. The woman heard her husband moaning, although he was in great pain. She saw defendant standing over her husband holding something and striking at him. She shouted out and defendant, whom she stated she saw quite clearly, ran away.

Her husband got to his feet rather unsteadily and both of them tried to catch defendant but were unsuccessful. Her husband then fainted.

The wife ran down the hillside and in Cadogan Street, found a police constable to whom she reported the matter.

The Flying Squad was sent to the scene while the man and his wife were taken to Queen Mary Hospital, where complainant was examined by Dr. Wong.

Chopper found

At 7 a.m. the same morning Detective Police Constable 107 returned to the scene and made a search. Near the hillside, by the Hong Kong University playing field, a chopper was found.

The chopper was missing from complainant's hut. Later in the morning, Police Constable 2311 attached to the Western Police Station was standing guard at Pokfulam Road watching the hut. It was raining and the constable saw defendant looking around and then make his way to the hut. The constable called upon him to stop but defendant took no notice and ran away. He was arrested and taken to the Western Police Station.

At an identification parade held later, both complainant and his wife identified defendant.

In a statement from the dock defendant said that he was the complainant's hut on June 28 and tried to wake him up but did not succeed. He then went inside the hut and tried to wake complainant by pulling his pillow away.

Complainant woke up and got hold of a chopper from under his pillow and struck at him. Defendant said that he struggled with complainant and took the chopper away and slashed at him. Defendant said that he was under the influence of drink. After the struggle, defendant said, he ran away and hid the chopper under a tree.

Defendant said that at the time of his arrest he was on his way to the hut to see how complainant was getting on. He was there to escort complainant to Tung Wah Hospital should he be seriously injured, he claimed.

FRESH FISH PRICES

Fresh fish average prices realized at the Hong Kong Wharves Market, Kennedy Town, yesterday were:

First quality	Second quality	Third quality
Mod Grouper	2.15	1.85
Ginger Fish	2.25	1.95
Snapper	1.20	1.05
White Pomfret (large)	2.50	2.30
Sea Perch	1.80	1.60
Yellow Sole (large)	1.20	1.05
Conger Pike	1.20	1.05
Red Sea Bream (large)	1.35	1.10
(small)	.85	.80
White Herring	.70	.65
Balt. Hake	.75	.70

CONTROLLED PRICES

An additional amendment to the list of Controlled Prices, published in yesterday's "Government Gazette" is:

Canned Meat: sheep tongues (Champion Brand): HK\$2.05 for a 12-ounce tin.

CEMETERY CLOSED

An order by the Governor-in-Council has closed the New Kowloon Cemetery No. 28 (Diamond Hill West Cemetery).

SELECTED SUMMER FOOD SPECIALS

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1947, persons chargeable with
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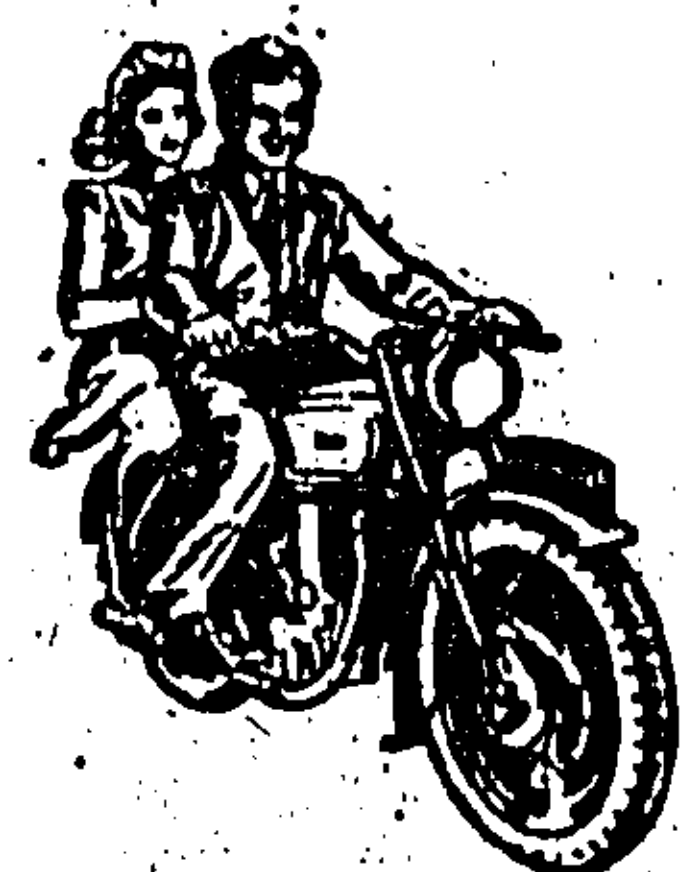
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1. Date of Commencing of Licensing.

Annual licensing will commence on Monday, 3rd July,
1950 at 9 a.m. and will continue daily closing at 4 p.m.
Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays excepted.

2. Places of Licensing.

Annual licensing will take place at Central Police Sta-
tion, (entrance from main door in Hollywood Road) and
at Kowloon Traffic Office, (corners of Nathan & Prince
Edward Roads), which has been opened for the benefit of
Kowloon residents.

Kowloon residents are requested to make use of the
Licensing Office in Kowloon in order to reduce congestion
at the Hong Kong Centre.

3. Order of Licensing.

Vehicles will be licensed in "Blocks" of 400 per day
commencing with Nos. 1-400 on Monday, 3rd July and
continuing as follows:—

Private Cars	
Monday, 3rd July	1—400
Tuesday, 4th July	401—800
Wednesday, 5th July	801—1200
Thursday, 6th July	1201—1600
Friday, 7th July	1601—2000
Monday, 10th July	2001—2400
Tuesday, 11th July	2401—2800
Wednesday, 12th July	2801—3200
Thursday, 13th July	3201—3600
Friday, 14th July	3601—4000
Monday, 17th July	4001—4400
Tuesday, 18th July	4401—4800
Wednesday, 19th July	4801—5200
Thursday, 20th July	5201—5600
Friday, 21st July	5601—6000
Monday, 24th July	6001—6400
Tuesday, 25th July	6401—6800
Wednesday, 26th July	6801—7200
Thursday, 27th July	7201—7600
Friday, 28th July	7601—8000
Monday, 31st July	8001—8400
Tuesday, 1st August	8401—8800
Wednesday, 2nd August	8801—9200
Thursday, 3rd August	9201—9600
Friday, 4th August	9601—10000
Tuesday, 8th August	10001—10400

Motor Cycle	
Wednesday, 9th August	1—400
Thursday, 10th August	401—800
Friday, 11th August	801—1000
	HK1—HK100

Commercial Vehicle		
Monday, 14th August	5001—	5400
Tuesday, 15th August	5401—	5800
Wednesday, 16th August	5801—	6200
Thursday, 17th August	6201—	6600
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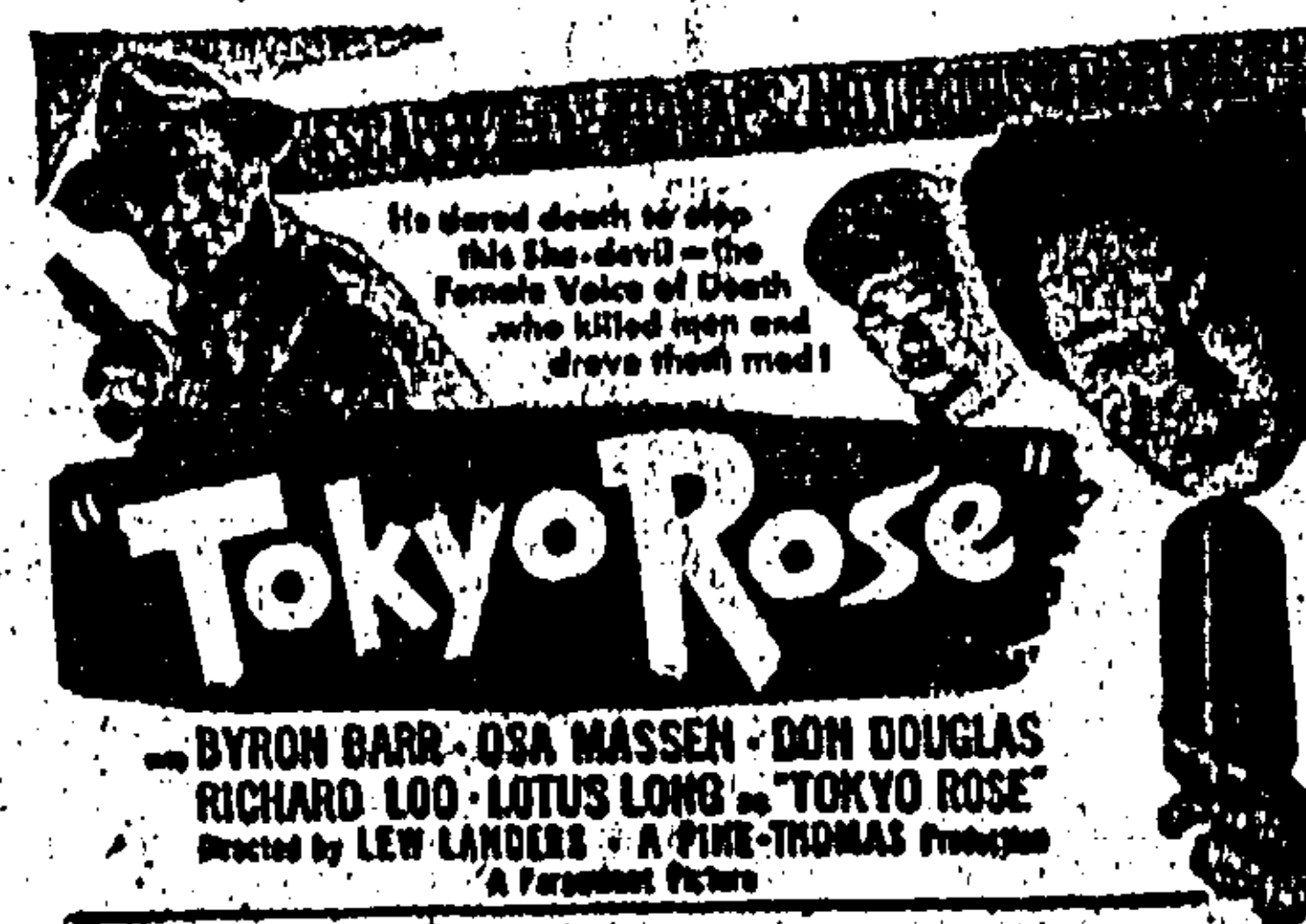
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TRUMAN CONFIDENT ON KOREA OUTCOME

Washington, July 13.

President Truman said today that the United States had never been defeated and would not be defeated in Korea. He said this when he was asked at his weekly Press conference to reassure the American people regarding news of reverses in the Korean war.

SPEED-UP OF ARMS TO WEST?

 Washington, July 13.
Strong sentiment was reported today to be developing within the Administration to speed up the flow of American arms to Western Europe as a result of the Korean crisis.

Some officials were talking of sharply increasing, perhaps doubling, the present rate of delivery of \$1,000,000,000 worth of guns, tanks and other equipment now being given to America's Atlantic Pact allies.

One move to speed up joint European and American defence arrangements is already planned.

Mr. Charles Spottford, Mr. Dean Acheson's deputy on the North Atlantic Treaty Council, is to leave here for London shortly.

He will meet the deputies of other Atlantic Foreign Ministers to organise the Council in London on a permanent basis.

The problem of meeting defence preparations will probably be one of the first questions taken up by the group—Reuter.

GREEK OFFICERS IN TARANTO

 Taranto, July 13.
Admiral Antonopoulos, Chief of the Greek Navy General Staff, today visited the military harbour at Taranto.

Admiral Antonopoulos was accompanied by Colonel Spyridon Vyzas, Greek Military Counsellor, and by Captain Yacridis, Naval Attaché to the Greek Legation in Rome.

While at Taranto, Admiral Antonopoulos will inspect the Italian cruiser Eugenio di Savoia, undergoing repairs before being handed over to Greece under the Italian peace treaty.

A reception in honour of the Greek Naval officers was offered last night at the Italian Navy Officers Club—Associated Press.

United States forces would be able to retain a foothold in Korea and carry that foothold as far North as the 38th Parallel, border of North and South Korea.

The Government had under consideration plans for the mobilisation of American manpower and industrial resources in the present situation.

Although the Government had under consideration plans for every phase of home front mobilisation, it would use them only if necessary.

The Government was considering mobilising more men and money behind the Korean war effort and would take any steps necessary to bring it to a successful conclusion.

The President said he may address Congress on the Korean situation.

Other attacks

The President reiterated a statement he made last week that United States military operations in Korea constituted a police action at the request of the United Nations.

He declined to make any evaluation of the military situation in Korea.

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tain a foothold in South Korea, where they have been steadily pushed back by the Communists onslaught. He pointed out that the United States would maintain a foothold as far North as the 38th Parallel—in other words, that the Communists would be driven out of South Korea. After this the reporter asked if American troops would go into North Korea itself and the President replied that he would make that decision when necessary.

Pressed for an analysis of the situation on the Korean front, Mr. Truman advised his questioners to consult General MacArthur's communications. He said he relied on General MacArthur to evaluate developments.

He told another questioner he had no report of steps being taken by the International Red Cross to consult General MacArthur to induce both sides to recognise the rules of warfare.

U.S. mobilisation

Reporters asked whether other nations were sending ground troops to fight in Korea. The President replied that the Secretary of State, Dean Acheson, had made a statement on that matter on Wednesday which fully covered it and there was nothing to add.

President Truman refused to comment on a long series of questions concerning possible plans for industrial and manpower mobilisation and controls over civilian economy. He said merely that all things that related to emergency were under consideration and the necessary steps would be taken at the proper time.

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Rita Hayworth may return soon to screen work, "Il Tempo" reported today.

The newspaper said that the film director, King Vidor, travelling with Prince Ali Khan and his wife, the former Rita Hayworth, is trying to persuade her to make a new film under his direction.

The newspaper quoted Ali Khan as saying, "My wife is free to do as she likes and she can return to the studios whenever she wants. The fact that Vidor is with us is not due only to our mutual friendship. Vidor never lets an opportunity go by and has used his free time in our Mediterranean cruises to talk with my wife and propose her a role in a new film. However, Rita has categorically turned down his offers so far."—Associated Press.

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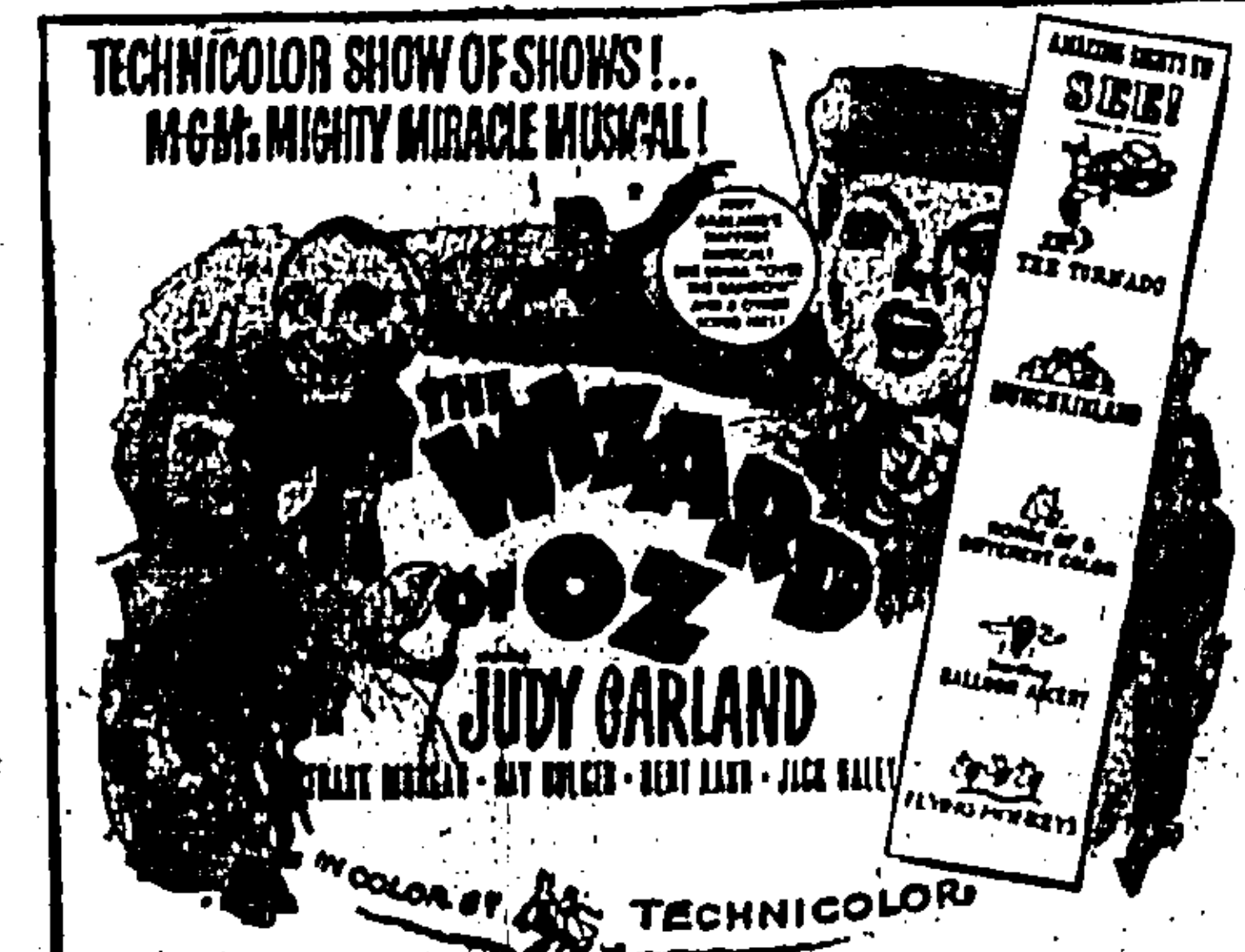
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EXISTENTIALISM

By "Windrush"
Special correspondent

Yesterday's article described the strange philosophy of Kierkegaard, the father of the curious modern cult called Existentialism.

Modern existentialism has flourished most in Germany and forms in the two countries the more sombre and alarming version in Germany. Having regard to the psychology of the two nations, this was what might have been expected.

The principal existentialist in Germany is named Martin Heidegger. Unlike Kierkegaard, he is a regular university professor, a professional philosopher not a dilettante. Like so many eminent German academic personages he is the son of a Lutheran pastor.

During the Nazi period he became badly compromised; it is alleged by the French—that he used to appear at his lectures dressed in storm-troop uniform. According to some of his acquaintances, he was a Nazi not out of conviction but under persuasion of his socially ambitious wife. (Was not Socrates, they say, also a philosopher who was hounded?)

After the defeat of Germany he was suspended from his University, and he has been living since in retirement in a mountain hut in South Germany.

Heidegger's great work is an immensely long and complicated book called *Being and Time*. Recently he seems to have taken up systematic writing and prefers to express himself in brief and mysterious aphorisms. He is now as much a prophet as he is a philosopher.

Idea of "Angst"

Heidegger has taken over Kierkegaard's idea of "Angst"—the restless and perpetual state of anxiety of the human mind, (which was described in yesterday's article). Heidegger has the perplexing theory that this is a "nothingness" or "nothingness" non-being. Thus man can achieve satisfaction and freedom only by attaining non-being. This is a form of death wish.

In a way it has also certain parallels with the most austere forms of Hinayana Buddhism.

Heidegger's ideas are not accepted by the Existentialists in France. There the most celebrated Existentialists are Sartre, the very versatile novelist and playwright, and Gabriel Marcel, the Christian philosopher. It is significant of the vengeance of Existentialism that deeply religious men and brilliant theists claim to belong to the school. What has attracted Sartre is the idea—begun by Kierkegaard—that man moulds his character by the moral code which he invents for himself. This is the central idea of Sartre's famous play *The Flies*.

According to Sartre, man is not bound by any moral laws; man invents the moral laws as he goes along. This, through direct observations, to the numerous Northern misconceptions of facts on the political personalities of the Republic. The delegates did actually broadcast, to the North, and the U.S.S.R. carried a summary of their statements.

Another plan for unification was then suggested by the North. It involved the convening of the North and South Assemblies into a single legislative assembly, but it was again accompanied by what the Commission calls "objectionable conditions." Both appeals were denounced by the South Korean Press. Parties and leaders as sheer propaganda, designed solely to split the unity prevailing in the South Assembly.

The Commission agrees with this view, and says the invasion in force suggests the peace campaign was merely designed to screen the preparations for armed action. The Northern leader, General Kim Il Sung, indeed made full propaganda use of these overtures and the Southern rejection thereof, in his broadcast on the morning of the invasion. He claimed not only that all their friendly overtures had been turned down, but that the South had launched an invasion in force. Thus precipitating the Northern "counter-offensive."

The Commission's verdict was stated earlier, that there was no evidence to justify the North's allegations, but that, on the contrary, all the evidence continued to point to a calculated, co-ordinated attack prepared and launched by the South. It is a verdict which all that has happened in the North and South since the invasion confirms.

The report then clears up the mystery of the three so-called peace delegates sent over the border from the North, early in June. They were immediately arrested by the South Korean authorities, who tried to induce them to switch sides by showing them the facts of the position in the South. The Northern Radio violently denounced the detention of the "envoys of peace," but a hearing of the case in the Commission was delayed by all three delegates of their good intentions. By the Southern authorities they also expressed their sincere belief in the good intentions of the North, but added that their eyes had been opened.

Sartre, in the true nature of human freedom. To realize that we are free in this world is to be happy. It does not matter if the moral code which man invents for himself is a bad one. It is usually regarded as bad. It is not surprising that Sartre's play received a great ovation when it was produced after the war in Berlin. After all, its main ideas were not far from those of the Nazis.

Different conclusions

Gabriel Marcel reaches quite different conclusions. He is an Existentialist in the helping, practical sense. He is a Catholic, but for Marcel, Angst is not hunger for "nothingness." It is hunger for God. So Gabriel Marcel is able to be both an Existentialist and an orthodox Catholic. He has made Existentialism so respectable that a committee of cardinals in the Vatican has pronounced Existentialism in Marcel's form an unobjectionable philosophy, though they added that the

"My most exciting assignment"—No. 12:

Censor was beaten by simple code

By Clifford Hulme

"Censored!" yelled the News Editor in a fury of frustration. In his hand was a message from Lourenco Marques, capital of Portugal's East African colony of Mozambique.

We read it again. "The Third Native Regiment at Inhambane has revolted and is marching on the capital." Here the message ended abruptly. The Post Office confirmed that the break was in the message, not the telegraph line.

How then could we in Johannesburg get the full story of Lourenco Marques, 300 miles away? Obviously someone would have to go and fetch it, and I was assigned. But there was no train till next day and it would take 12 hours to do the trip. A car would be equally slow over the atrocious roads. There was nothing left but to charter a plane.

Here we hit a snag. The local airport has no lighting equipment, so it could be used only between sunrise and sundown.

That meant a delay till next morning. A plan was drawn up but the Customs men declined to give clearance at that hour. Nine o'clock was the earliest they would promise.

By midnight I had completed my plans to dodge the Portuguese censorship. Everything hinged on speed, once I got to Lourenco Marques.

I must get the story, write it, and have the pilot back in the air with it in time to reach Johannesburg before dark, otherwise he would not be able to land there.

Thanks to the Customs men it was 10 o'clock next morning before the single-engine two-seater machine rose into the clear sky and headed East.

A gamble

With luck we would be in Lourenco Marques by one o'clock. The pilot must leave no later than 2.30 if he was to get something less than 90 minutes to do the story. It was a gamble. The gleaming white gold mine dumps of Johannesburg faded behind and the rugged mountains of the Eastern Transvaal loomed. Every so often the tiny plane dropped sickeningly into an air pocket.

On the pilot's knee was a ten-cent-to-the-inch road map. Aerial maps of that region didn't exist. His problem was to find a particular gap in the mountains, and he wasn't sure he could. I looked down at the tooth-edged terrain, 8,000 feet below, and cursed the censor.

After a tense half hour the pilot spotted the gap and soon we were purring like a limbo wolf over the Kruger National Park, a game reserve the size of Wales, and the home of some 800 lions, a few of which came into this story later.

Exactly at 1.15 we rolled to a stop on the Lourenco Marques airport, just missing an anti-aircraft searchlight by the easy-going Portuguese.

Next came a dash to an hotel run by an Englishwoman. Here I had a "bloated stroke" of luck. Seven political exiles from Lisbon had been living there and it was they who had plotted the rising. The Englishwoman named me, and I decided to stay.

The police had seized the conspirators of the hotel that morning and the revolution had collapsed. The men were now on a Portuguese ship in the harbor, exiled until this time, and I decided to stay.

Fun begins

I now had 30 minutes left, and I wrote the story my pilot

into his hand, pushed him into a taxi for the airport, and prayed he would make Johannesburg before dark. He did not. I learned later. The story and how I got it was splashed and our rivals were green with envy at the scoop.

But the fun had only begun. From a South African friend I got more details about the conspiracy and by nightfall had another good story.

But first I wanted to let my office have the total number of arrests and some indication of the latest situation to supplement my airborne story.

Against such an emergency I had left in Johannesburg a few simple code phrases of an apparently innocuous kind, such as "bumpy trip" meaning a state of turmoil, and "pleasant trip" meaning everything calm.

Stringing together a suitable collection of these phrases, and ending with "lots of love," I addressed a wire to my private home number in Johannesburg, and with a thumping heart walked into the Post Office with a casualness I was far from feeling. The clerk took the message and left me wondering if it would fool the censor.

The next problem was to get out of Lourenco Marques with my second big story without being detected and searched. Already the police had been round to my hotel and I was being "teased."

At this point my South African friend came to the rescue. "There's a goods train leaving here for the border at six o'clock tomorrow morning," he said. "There's usually one passenger coach on the end of it. Take that. They'll never expect you to know there's such a train because it isn't in the timetable."

Hide message

Late that night I wrote my second story, and soon after five a.m. was waiting for the station with a soul in sight. I found myself the only passenger on the train. It was 50 miles to the border at Ressano Garcia and, expecting to be challenged there, I hid my message in the double cuffs of my shirt.

When I reached Ressano Garcia four hours later I was in a highly nervous state. The train went no further, and to reach Komatipoort, in South African territory seven miles away, it was necessary to take another train. This also proved to be a goods train, and the wagon assigned to passengers had recently been carrying coal.

Still unchallenged, I scrambled aboard, and made myself as inconspicuous as possible in what I considered the darkest corner. Five Portuguese joined me and the train crawled off. It was the longest seven-mile journey I've ever made, and when I stepped out at Komatipoort, I looked like a chimney sweep.

On British territory once more, I dashed for a telephone and handed my office in Johannesburg, that another message was coming. Then I made for the little Post Office and staggered the clerk with the announcement that I had a 1200-word wire to send.

Now was I to get back to Lourenco Marques? There was no train from Komatipoort that day, and to reach Ressano Garcia where there was a train, I would have to walk.

Over a drink with the local police captain I mentioned this plan. He quashed it immediately and explained: "You'll never get through alive if you walk. Drunken in driving the lions out of Kruger National Park in a head of steam and they'll eat you."

Only this morning we found a drunken on the railway half-

Britain's man on the spot

By TOM POCOCK

Admiral Sir Eric James Patrick Brind, KCB, CBE, otherwise known as "Daddy," has the dignified, benevolent, weather-wrinkled face of an 18th-century admiral.

Yet at 58 he is one of the youngest, most active full admirals in the Navy, and as such has been chosen to lead the Far Eastern Fleet against the North Korean Communists.

This is nothing new to Admiral Brind. For the past year his ships have fought a hot-and-cold war with both Chinese Nationalists and Communists in protecting British merchant ships.

For a year his destroyers and frigates have maintained a standing patrol off the mouth of the Yangtze. In 1949 Brind joined the Home Fleet as Chief of Staff and watched the execution of the battleship King George V.

After helping to plan the Normandy invasion, he went East to become Rear-Admiral commanding the Fourth Cruiser Squadron, British Pacific Fleet. From his flagship Swiftsure he directed the bombardments of Truk and the Sakishima Gunto Islands South of Okinawa.

Honorary guide

After watching the final Japanese surrender in Tokyo Bay, he returned to the pomp and circumstance of the life of a peace-time admiral.

A year later Brind was appointed President of the Royal Naval College, Greenwich, and spent many spare hours wandering round the National Maritime Museum.

Mr. Frank Carr the museum's director, says, "He was such an expert on naval history that he virtually became an honorary guide, and a very good guide at that."

"He was such a lively talker and had such a sense of humour that everybody wanted him to guide them round the museum."

In December, 1947 Brind surprised his friends by announcing that he was engaged to Mrs. E. G. Blagrove, the widow of Vice-Admiral Blagrove, who went down in the Royal Oak in 1939. The following month they were married in the chapel of the College.

The peaceful Greenwich interlude did not last. In 1948 he was sent East again, this time as Commander-in-Chief of the Far Eastern Fleet.

'Classic Admiral'

Even so, he was attending the "Exercises in Fleet" high-level talks at Greenwich when the Amethyst was first driven aground in the Yangtze action of April last year.

He returned in time to organise the escape of the Amethyst and the defence of Hong Kong.

Though Admiral Brind is the son, grandson, and brother of Army officers, he is regarded by American naval officers as "the classic British admiral." Asked to sum up Brind in one sentence, one of his friends, instead of referring to his enormous height, his sense of humour, or his paternal manner, said: "Old Brind is a confidence-radiator."

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NEHRU MESSAGE TO STALIN

Similar note handed to State Department SPECULATION IN MOSCOW

ATTLEE REJECTS U.S. VISIT

London, July 13. The Prime Minister, Mr. Clement Attlee, today turned down a suggestion in Parliament that, because of the Korean war, he should visit the United States shortly.

Mr. Leonard Gamman, Conservative, suggested that Mr. Attlee could co-ordinate the Security Council and consider common plans for the defence of the Far East.

Mr. Attlee replied that Britain and the United States already had close and constant contact on all questions.

"I do not consider that the need for such a visit for myself or any of my Cabinet colleagues at present arises," he added.

Mr. Gamman persisted that a personal visit by the Prime Minister would identify Britain with the American effort.

It would be an opportunity to tell the American people that Britain was sharing their burden in fighting the same enemy in Malaya.

But Mr. Attlee did not think a visit was necessarily the best way of doing that, reiterating that contacts with the American Government were extremely close.

There were visits on both sides from time to time and the Foreign Secretary, Mr. Ernest Bevin, would be going to the United States this autumn to attend meetings of the North Atlantic Powers and the United Nations.

He would also have talks with Mr. Dean Acheson, the U.S. Secretary of State, and the French Foreign Minister, M. Robert Schuman.—Reuter.

Censor was beaten by simple code

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Finally, in a highly convivial moment, the police sergeant offered to drive me. It was a hair-raising experience. After crossing the river on a concrete causeway he sent his rickety old car chugging up a hilly boulevard-street track. At the top was a Portuguese native soldier guarding the border post.

Governor furious

Instead of stopping, the police sergeant shook his fist at the native and rattled past. To recompense the sergeant for his help, I bought him a lottery ticket worth £5,000 if the number won. Perhaps it did. I never heard.

Back in Laurence Marques I found that the police had called at the hotel several times that day, spurred no doubt by the Governor who was in a fury at my evasion of the censorship.

In Johannesburg too the Portuguese Consul-General had strongly expressed his displeasure to my editor.

Before I left for good next day there was one more adventure. As I wandered round the town waiting for a train, the spotted sleuths shadowing me and determined on a little hide-and-seek.

Down alleys and round corners the hunt went on until we were near a Chinese temple I remembered from previous visits.

Cornering rapidly, I slipped into the temple, and after meditating there a few minutes, peeped out.

It gave me great pleasure to see the two mystified flatfoots pounding up the street in hot chase of nothing.

At the station a little later my South African friend pointed out the police chief heading a squad of detectives apparently assigned to see me off this premises. It would have been fun to meet the censor, but I imagine he was having a bad quarter of an hour with the Governor.

U.S. TO LAUNCH TRUTH CAMPAIGN

Washington, July 13. President Harry Truman today asked Congress for US\$60,000,000 to launch a "campaign of truth" against Communism throughout the world.

In a letter to the Speaker of the House, Sam Rayburn, Democrat of Texas, Mr. Truman declared the greatly expanded information drive is vital to our national security.

"We will never attain real security until people everywhere realize that the free nations of the world are the true seekers of world peace," he said.

The money he asked would be used to expand the State Department's "Voice of America" and other information programmes.—Associated Press.

Copenhagen, July 13. Denmark will shortly appoint a Minister to Israel. An official Reuter source in Denmark said the principal reason for this was to support Israel.

The Indian Ambassador in Moscow tonight handed to the Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister, M. Andrei Gromyko, a personal message for Marshal Stalin from the Indian Prime Minister, Pandit Nehru.

In Washington, Madame Vijaya Lakshmi Pandit, Indian Ambassador to the United States, this afternoon called at the State Department and delivered a similar note from Mr. Nehru for the Secretary of State, Dean Acheson.

Informed sources in Washington said it contained the same information as that contained in the note from Mr. Nehru to Stalin.

Informants refused to disclose the contents of the note delivered in Washington, other than to state that it did not contain any specific mediation offer on the part of India to attempt settlement of the Korean war.

Madame Pandit delivered the note for Mr. Acheson during a 20-minute call on the Assistant Secretary of State, George McGhee.

She told reporters afterwards that she discussed the Korean situation in general. She added that India's position remained the same as last Friday, when Mr. Nehru at a press conference said India would not send an armed force to aid the South Koreans because military assistance is beyond India's capacity and would make little difference.

At that time, Mr. Nehru indicated his willingness to try to mediate in the dispute, but emphasized more strongly his opinion that the admission of Communist China into the United Nations and the return of the Soviet representative to the Security Council are necessary conditions to enable the Security Council to discharge its function adequately and bring the Korean conflict to a prompt and peaceful conclusion.

Mr. McGhee confirmed that Madame Pandit had told him India's position remained unchanged. He refused to disclose any other subjects they might have discussed.

Stalling game by Kremlin

London, July 13. Foreign Office sources today dismissed speculation that the Soviet Union had put forward suggestions for the termination of the Korean conflict.

It was disclosed that Russia so far had not gone beyond asking elucidation of the earlier British appeal for termination of the Korean war. This was held in diplomatic quarters as confirmation of earlier beliefs that the Soviet is playing for time and is not ready to commit itself until it has asserted more fully a balance of strength.—United Press.

However, other informed sources believed Mr. Nehru's note for Mr. Acheson was concerned mainly with India's desire to see Communist China admitted to the United Nations and the Security Council in order to pave the way for settlement of the Korean dispute.

Russia's price

Meanwhile some foreign diplomats in Moscow express the opinion that Russia wants to see a peaceful settlement of the Korean conflict.

KOREAN WAR MAY BE A BLESSING IN DISGUISE

London, July 13. Military observers said today that the Korean war may be a blessing in disguise for the defence of Western Europe against any Soviet aggression.

Their only hope is that the price of the lessons being learned in Korea will not be too great.

Every mile reeled off by Communist tanks in Korea has exposed the weaknesses in tactical concepts underlying existing perils for Western Europe.

The Red successes have demonstrated the utility of counting heavily on air power to stop an advance. It underscored the obvious that there is no substitute yet for properly armed and equipped foot soldiers.

Estimates of the number of infantry divisions necessary to defend the West may have to be raised considerably as a result of these lessons.

Training will have to be made more realistic and bloodier—like World War II British-run schools for Allied invasion troops—to prevent green troops from panicking under fire at some fresh American troops did in Korea.

There may be new pressure from military men to rearm Western Germany in one form or another to tap one of the world's largest pools of war-experienced manpower.

Tank development

A new tank development programme, called "For Germany," is being started by the American military in Germany. It will probably be started following the failure of American armour before the superior Russian tanks in real fighting.

American officers who organized the United States' counter-attack in Germany, as a result of the "For Germany" programme, have been ordered to report after field tests that American armour was not a match for Russian armour, and asked that something be done about it.

These officers are present at training exercises in Germany, under the military aid programme.

On the other hand experts said the Korean war has brought new appreciation for "old-fashioned" weapons. When the United States began to use heavy tanks, the Germans called them "old-fashioned" and "too slow."

They called for faster jet fighters instead. American commanders and combat veterans pointed out that the "old-fashioned" tanks are still strong.

They said the "old-fashioned" tanks are still strong and supported and tank guns.—United Press.

OPPOSITION TO KING LEOPOLD

Brussels, July 13. The Belgian Socialists prepared for a new Parliamentary filibuster today and called a general strike throughout Wallonia for Friday and Saturday to delay as long as possible the return of King Leopold from five years of exile.

Socialist Deputies delayed the election of a Speaker for four hours last Thursday at the opening of the joint session of Parliament, called to "repel" the 1945 law making Leopold "unfit" to reign.

By this Thursday, 37 Socialists had asked to speak in the debate in a further attempt to delay the vote as long as possible. Each speaker will be allowed to talk for one hour and, although the majority Social Christians could move closure at any time, most of them favoured letting the Socialists harangue through next week. The best news was that Leopold would return from his long exile after July 22.—United Press.

STOLE A HOUSE

Manila, July 14. Police records tell of strange thefts from Manila covers to lumber yards, but it remained for a Filipino couple on Iloilo to come up with the theft of a house.

Police in Iloilo City alleged that Aquilino Sison, aged 40, and his wife Conchita stole a piece of a house belonging to Lydia Pineda, a student. Lydia had just bought the house and when she went to occupy it, all she could find, according to police, was a "shovel" of its walls, doors and other vital parts had disappeared.

The police allegedly traced the loss of the house to the Sison family and now for the past two days they have been calling in witnesses to help them in the Municipal Court as exhibits in the case of the couple.—United Press.

OFFERS OF AID COME IN FROM MEMBERS OF UN

Washington, July 13. The United States Government has created a special committee to deal with offers of assistance from United Nations members in the Korean war.

The committee, consisting of State and Defence Department representatives, will screen, evaluate and place in the proper channels the various offers of aid now being received.

Livingstone Merchant, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Far Eastern Affairs, is the ranking State Department member of the group, and U.S. Navy Captain Albert Murdaugh, of the office of the Secretary of Defence, is the ranking committee man from that agency.

It is understood that the committee has not yet had time to work out the exact relationship it will have with the United Nations at Lake Success.

However, officials explained its first job would be to co-ordinate the various offers, some of which are made to the U.S. Government, some to the UN and some to both organizations simultaneously.

The committee, according to the State Department spokesman, Lincoln White, will maintain contact both with General Douglas MacArthur, United Nations commander of the operations against Communist Korea, and with the UN headquarters at Lake Success.

Mr. White declined to reveal just what unpublished offers have come in from member nations of the UN, recalling that the Secretary of State, Dean Acheson, said at his press conference on Wednesday it would be more proper for the nation making the offer, or for the United Nations itself, to make such announcements.

Many offers

Other American officials indicated that a considerable number of offers of assistance, both military and economic, were being received in Washington and at Lake Success.

The big job of the new committee would be to decide on the basis of information from General MacArthur what type of assistance would be useful.

This information will then be communicated to the United Nations and to the countries offering to help, both those who have made specific offers and those who have merely made known in general their willingness to aid and asked for information as to what type of assistance is most needed.—United Press.

ALEUTIAN BASES

Washington, July 13. The United States Defence Department today announced a reversal of its decision to close three air bases in the Aleutian Islands—Shemya, Cold Bay and Adak.

Senator Warren Magnuson (Dem., Wash.), who said he had been notified of the decision, told a reporter that the bases, which provide the shortest route to Tokyo, were to have been closed for economy reasons, but the situation in Korea had caused a change of plan.

Shemya, which has cost \$100,000,000, provides a route to Tokyo, the Senator said, 2,000 miles shorter than the mid-Pacific route by way of Honolulu.—Reuter.

EXECUTIONS IN SOUTH KOREA

General MacArthur's HQ in Korea, July 13. Twelve hundred Communist "security risks" have been executed by the South Korean police since the outbreak of the Korean war, Kim Tao-sio, chief of the South Korean police, confirmed today.—Reuter.

YUGOSLAV EYES ON KOREA WAR

Belgrade, July 13. The people of Yugoslavia are warily watching developments in the Korean war, anticipating that its outcome may measure the extent of Cominform pressure upon the Tito Government.

Rumours are rife of troop movements of tanks rumbling near Yugoslavia's Eastern border and of frontier sorties from satellite neighbours, but no one knows whether they are merely routine or a real prelude to invasion.

But in the light of the South Korean invasion, the Yugoslavs are considerably more concerned than they were a year ago when a similar batch of rumours stirred worldwide speculation over the possibility that "axis" would invade the country.

One theory in Belgrade is that the Korean war will help take pressure off Yugoslavia—at least temporarily. Another is that the Korean affair is calculated by Moscow to siphon off a big part of American military strength to the Pacific, and thus give Russia a freer hand to shift her objectives to the West.

The official Press and radio in Yugoslavia are steering a close middle of the road course in discussing Korea.

People in Belgrade privately leave little doubt where their sympathies lie. Smiling under the conditions resulting from the Cominform economic boycott, many of them are hoping that the Korean affair will end Russian aggression.

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ANGLO-EGYPTIAN RELATIONS

Naples, July 13. The Egyptian Prime Minister, Mustafa El Nahas Pasha, said today that there could only be an agreement between Egypt and Britain if Britain recognises the independence of Egypt and treats on a footing of absolute equality.

Nahas Pasha added that present relations between Britain and Egypt were of the maximum cordiality.

The accord being negotiated between the two countries at this time was expected to be ratified in the autumn, he said.

The Egyptian Premier was passing through Naples on his way to France for a rest cure. He said that his journey to Europe was not political. He would visit Paris and London to be examined by specialist doctors, he added.—Reuter.

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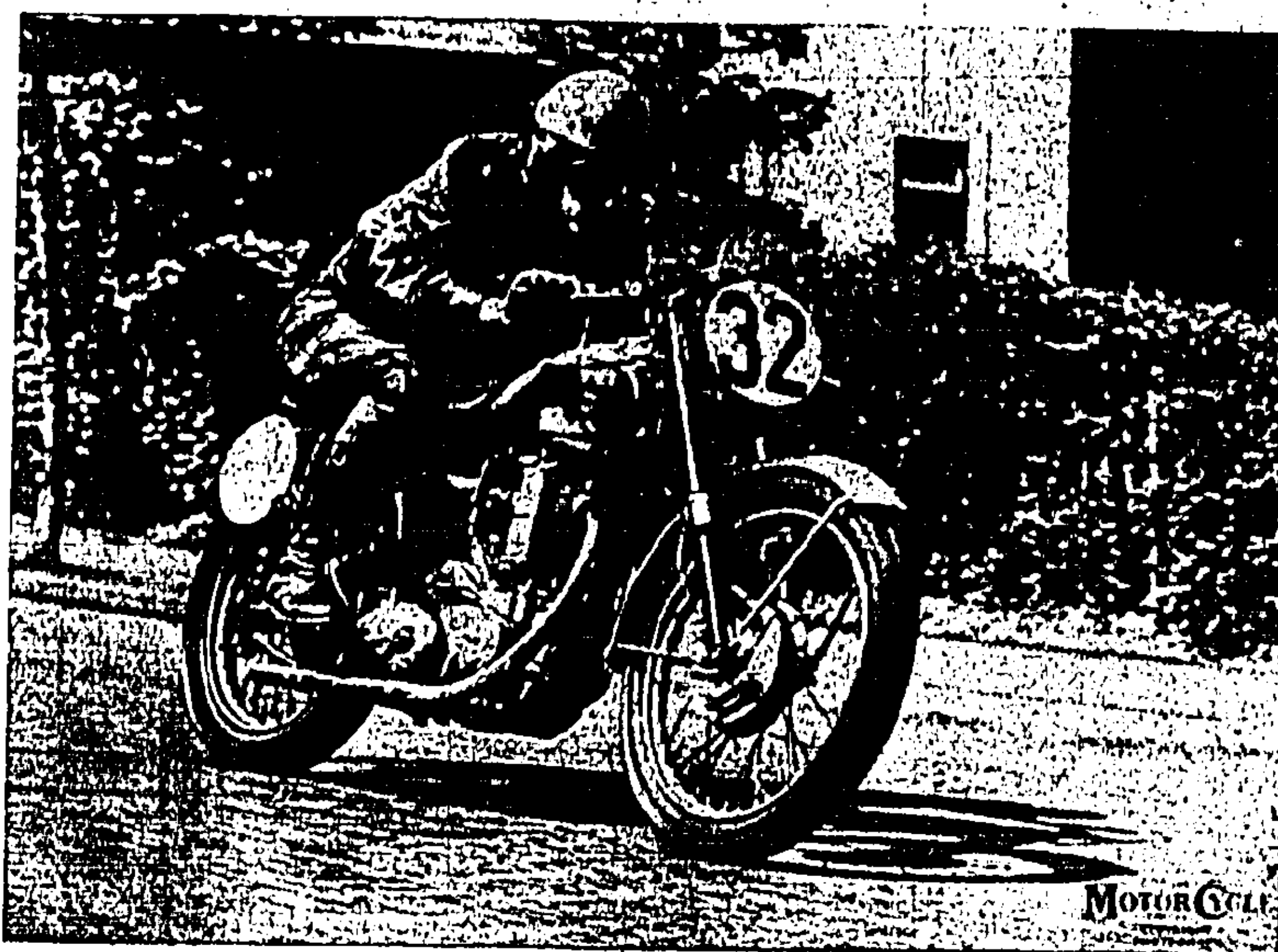
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MOTORING NEWS AND VIEWS



B. A. Jackson shown winning the Junior Clubman's T. T. on a BSA 350 Gold Star at Ramsey, Isle Of Man, last month. Local agents for BSA motorcycles are the British Bicycle Company.

Condition for new designs

The "new look" in motoring will remain until a new form of power unit is developed because, contrary to public opinion, it is essentially functional.

This opinion was unanimously agreed when three engineers, Mr. H. I. F. Evernden, of Rolls-Royce, Mr. J. R. Stanfield, of Austin, and Mr. W. J. Bolgrove, of Standard, spoke on "Fashion and Design in the Motor Industry" at a luncheon meeting of the Design and Industries Association in London recently. Mr. G. James Allday was in the chair.

It was considered that the present form of power unit had developed to a stage of dependability which, assisted by the interval of the war years, had permitted design to concentrate on increased riding comfort and economy, reduced weights and the incorporation of extensive fittings into the bodywork to facilitate cleaning and reduce drag.

Mr. Evernden pointed out that the general need for reduction in cost had led to many new features which might not necessarily be improvements, but bench assembly of components was now in demand.

National styles were now consolidating themselves, he said, the Italian designs being particularly noteworthy for their freedom from non-functional adornment and purity of line.

Export style

The British industry, he added, had to produce a new style for export because it was engaged in trying to sell cars to dollar countries which already had plenty of cars of their own.

However, the British public could not be dictated to like American car buyers, and it was to be hoped, therefore, that Britain would not sacrifice important features for style, or adopt innate adornment.

Mr. Stanfield maintained that English style must develop without overseas influence, although some similarity was bound to occur. No changes should be made unless they were improvements, and the pre-war policy, so popular in America, of bringing out new models designed simply to make the previous year's look out of date, must be forgotten.

Now was the time, he said, for manufacturers to experiment and pay attention to detail improvements. There would be no real changes until a new form of power arrived, meanwhile the object was better and cheaper cars.

The U.S. had "got what it takes" in comfort, and their tooling was first-class, Mr. Bolgrove declared. He agreed that Italy was supreme in stylish lines, but he suggested that Britain was producing car designs, resulting from the wartime pause, which could be called cleanliness.

There was no object in pandering to frontal appearance, thereby increasing drag, and, broadly speaking, design would remain fairly static until the faint murmuring of a new form of power became reality.

ANCIENT BUGGY ON THE ROAD

A unique sight on the roads of Britain in the Whitsun holiday traffic of cars new and old was the doyen of them all—an 1899 Wolseley, which took part in the 1,000 Miles Trial of 1900 and now, half a century later, was driven from John O'Groats to Land's End, a distance of 869 miles.

Driver of the Wolseley, which cost £270 when built, is St. John C. Nixon, retired insurance manager, whose home is in Surrey, and who himself took part in the original Trial.

Mr. Nixon noticed the old car at Cowley while gathering material for his recently published book on Wolseley history, and remembered its excellent performance on the severe course of the 1900 Trial, which did much to establish motoring in the popular mind.

Much of the journey was over the ground of the original Trial and includes such testing places as Ship Fell.

The commercial motor show at Earl's Court

Earl's Court, London will again, in the autumn of this year, become the focal point of interest for all concerned, in whatever capacity, in the varied products of the motor industry.

Two great events in close sequence will afford an unequalled opportunity for the general public, as well as traders and operators from Home and Overseas to compare, under ideal conditions of presentation, the respective merits of the world's leading motor vehicles and allied products with the accent on those manufactured in Great Britain and America, while examples of various Continental exhibits will also be on view.

The Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders, as organisers and in accordance with their usual practice, have already undertaken the issue of more than 12,000 invitations to those overseas buyers who can be expected to visit the event, and have also supplied details to British Consular and Commercial Officers for publishing throughout their respective territories.

Overseas visitors will be provided with free season tickets and catalogue vouchers in return either for their names and addresses or by presentation of their passports at the entrance to the Exhibition. An Overseas Visitors' Lounge, and Press Room facilities, will also be available.

The general details of the events may be summarised as follows:

16th Commercial Motor Transport Exhibition—September 22 to 30 (except Sunday)

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This event, staged biennially, was first held in 1907, necessarily postponed during the war years, and revived, in 1948, when it created a new record in both range and quantity of exhibits and in attendance figures.

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Threat to U.S. car export

European and sterling area bans against imports of new U.S. cars are a danger to the U.S. motor export industry according to Mr. George Quisenberry, secretary of the U.S. Overseas Automotive Club.

"The industry is fearful that these measures, although now presumably of a temporary nature, may become permanent," he writes in a special article for the New York "Journal of Commerce."

"It is wondering now whether Europe and the sterling area will come out of the ECA programme with free or closed markets."

"The industry believes that positive steps should be taken through the leadership of ECA to restore to European buyers the free right of choice and competition."

"The industry does not want either government subsidy or government sales of its new vehicles."

"But it does want to see conditions restored in which car owners and operators abroad will have the opportunity once more to buy their cars on the basis of quality, price and service rather than by directions of their own government regulations."

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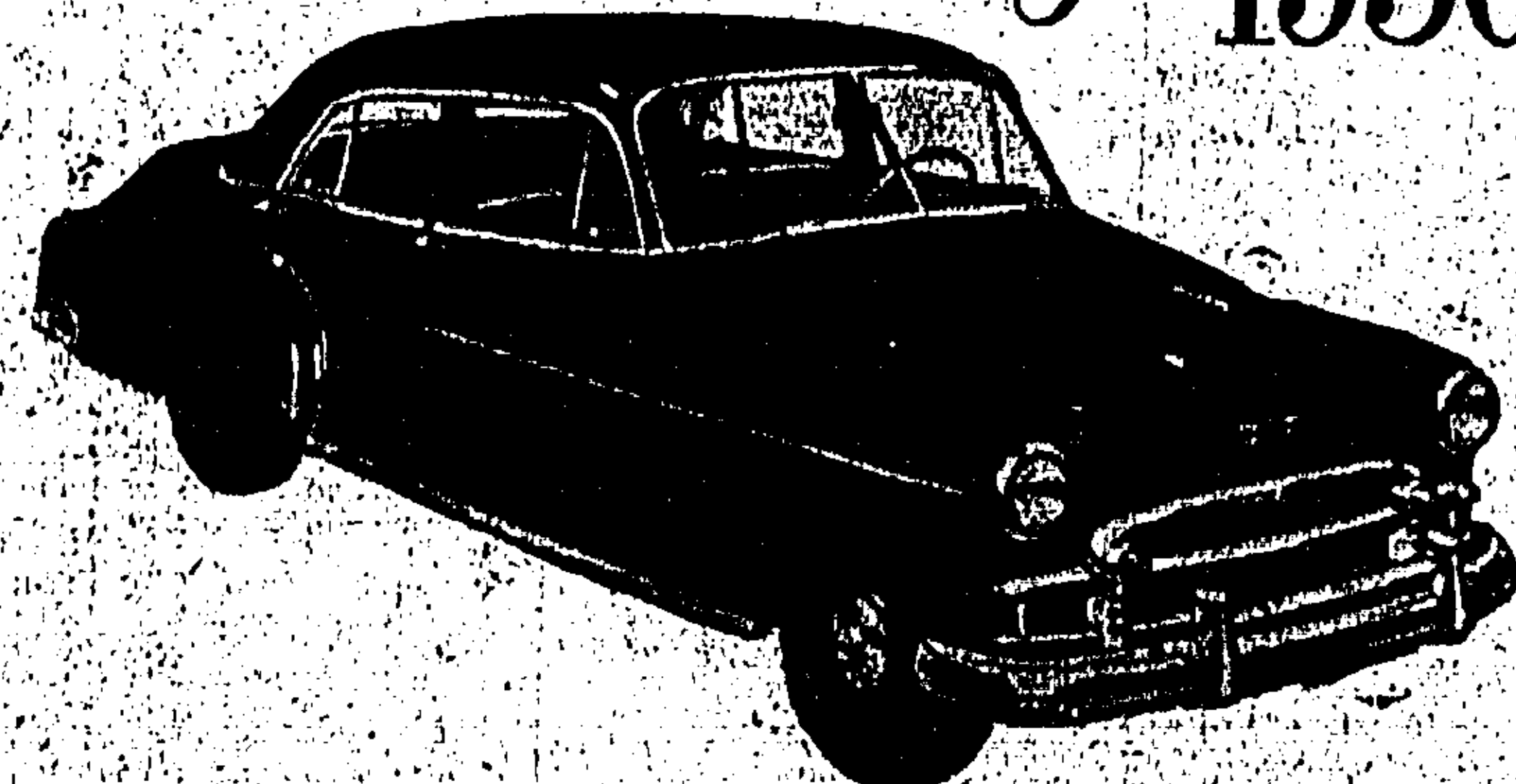
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A summery fashion



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Plight of indigent foreigners in S'hai

Shanghai faces a major human tragedy—the possible closure of the Co-ordinating Committee for Foreign Refugees unless the money it needs to carry on is received. This Committee is the sole support of some 800 foreign destitutes in the Chinese metropolis.

Recent arrivals from Shanghai who gave this news to Reuters yesterday said that hospitable Hong Kong was rallying to the aid of the Shanghai relief organisation through a high-ranking Church authority here who had agreed to launch a drive in this Colony for funds on behalf of the CCFR.

The CCFR announced a little while ago that it would have to close its doors next month unless fresh financial aid was forthcoming.

Every strata of Shanghai's foreign community was doing its share by contributing whatever possible in cash or in kind. Nevertheless, much more was needed before the CCFR found itself out of the wood; the arrivals said.

They explained that the 800 indigent foreigners cared for by the CCFR were, for one reason or another, not eligible for assistance from the International Refugee Organisation or from their respective Consulates. The majority of them had no papers of any kind to prove their nationality and were, therefore, considered outside the scope of the various national philanthropic institutions in Shanghai.

Thirty to 40 new cases were presenting themselves to the CCFR each week—late comers who had done their best to keep themselves alive without charitable relief only, ultimately, to find themselves compelled by circumstances to seek the aid they had so far circumvented.

Malnutrition

Many of these people were seriously ill, because of malnutrition, the arrivals disclosed. One recent case concerned a woman and a child, both of whom were suffering from beriberi, the effect of 18 months' unrelieved diet of rice, the only food they had to eat. One woman felt uncomfortable about her appearance and apologised for it by saying that not having soap to wash with she had used straw as a substitute.

One of the arrivals said: "Mr. Bert King, hard-working Secretary of the CCFR, has his fingers crossed that, with Hong Kong's generous support, it will be possible to keep the CCFR going until something can be done in the way of re-settling the refugees in some other country."

A breakdown of the refugees registered with the CCFR showed that they included: 274 Koreans (of whom 272 receive bread only), 40 Germans, 37 Spanish, 28 Pakistanis, 33 Greeks, 14 American stateless, nine British stateless, five Canadian stateless and 42 Russian stateless.—Reuters.

London, July 13. The King today received in audience two new Ministers to London—Mr. Grigoriy Ezhik (Tartar) and Mr. Nicolas Giorghiu (Rumanian). Both presented Letters of Credence to the King.—Reuters.

U.S. WILL HAVE THE BEST TANKS

Fort Knox, Kentucky, July 13.

The United States will have tanks in the Korean war, if it continues for any length of time, to surpass anything the Communists are using now, Brigadier-General Thomas Harrold said today.

"It won't be long, if this war continues, before we have new equipment," General Harrold told a class of non-commissioned officers at the armoured force base here.

"Our family of tanks, when produced, will be better than any tank on the battlefield today."

The new commanding general of the armoured centre here said: "We are building up our Korean front with equipment—the best we have. I am sure that before long enough money will be released to get the new equipment we have hoped for in the past."—United Press.

SCHUMAN PLAN CONFERENCE

Paris, July 13.

The six-nation conference on the Schuman Plan announced today that it was working out a system of organic co-operation between the proposed supranational authority and the various governments.

The delegates of France, Belgium, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Western Germany and Italy issued a joint statement reporting progress in the talks before adjourning for the French National Holiday (Bastille Day) and the week-end.

"The most important problems have been cleared up and mutual understanding has been established, which is the guarantee that constructive solutions can be rapidly achieved," it said.—Reuters.

BEVIN RECOVERS

London, July 13.

The Foreign Secretary, Ernest Bevin, left hospital today feeling and looking fitter than he has for years, according to his associates.

Mr. Bevin entered a London nursing home on May 13 for two minor operations.—Associated Press.

Ex-RAF men offer to form squadron

London, July 13.

British wartime airmen have offered to form a fighter squadron with the United States Air Force in Korea, on the lines of the American Eagle Squadron which flew with the Royal Air Force in the last war.

The offer comes from members of the London Brevet Club, a flying club for former members of the Royal Air Force and the Fleet Air Arm. They approached the United States Air Attache here, who has forwarded their request to Washington.

So far 50 names of volunteers have been sent forward. "We could get many more," said an official of the Brevet Club, "if there is no objection from the American or British Governments."—Reuters.

ISRAEL MP'S IN LONDON

London, July 14.

Seven members of the Israel Parliament have arrived for a one-week visit at the invitation of the Inter-Parliamentary Union. Several members of the House of Commons met them at the airport.

During their stay, the Israel representatives will lunch with the Prime Minister, Clement Attlee, at 10 Downing Street and will be officially received in Parliament.—United Press.

U.S. Security Council meets in Washington

Washington, July 13.

President Truman met the National Security Council today to assess the Korean war developments and the danger of Russian-inspired trouble in other world areas. Strict secrecy cloaked the deliberations.

The Council includes the Secretary of State, Dean Acheson, the Defence Secretary, Louis Johnson, and other military leaders, Vice-President Alben Barkley and the chairman of the National Security Resources Board, W. Stuart Symington.

The White House Press Secretary, Charles Ross, said Mr. Truman would call the top strategy group together at least once a week from now on.

In other war front developments, an Army spokesman said the U.S. ground forces in Korea were in the "build-up" stage. That was the significance of the assignment of Lieutenant-General Walton Walker, tank expert, as commander of the ground forces.

The Senate Armed Services Committee called on the Defence Department to speed up the delivery schedule for hundreds of new war planes. The plan was made in a resolution adopted unanimously after a closed meeting with Admiral Forrest Sherman, chief of Naval Operations.

The Committee chairman, Senator Millard Tydings, said the resolution was meant to assure defence leaders that Congress would support them with funds and otherwise if they put on

pressure for increased plane output. About US\$2,000,000,000 worth of war planes were currently on order for delivery at various times in the next two or three years.

Position serious

Senator Tydings said the military situation on the Korean front remains extremely serious and there was no prospect for a quick campaign of a few weeks.

He asked Congressional leaders to forget about adjourning and to remain in session "until there is a big change for the better—and that won't be any time soon."

On the opposite side of the Capitol, the House Armed Services Committee called General Omar Bradley, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, to report on the war at a closed meeting on Tuesday. Committee members were expected to ask General Bradley if the military wanted legislative action to raise the present 2,005,000-man ceiling of the

COURT RELEASES WALTER BAELS

Ghent, July 13.

Walter Baels, 40-year-old brother-in-law of King Leopold, who appealed against a sentence of three years' imprisonment for desertion pronounced in 1946, was released from arrest at today's hearing before the Military Court.

Judgment will be given tomorrow.

Baels, who has lived in France since the end of the war, was arrested last Friday at the Franco-Belgian border while on his way to attend the funeral of his mother.

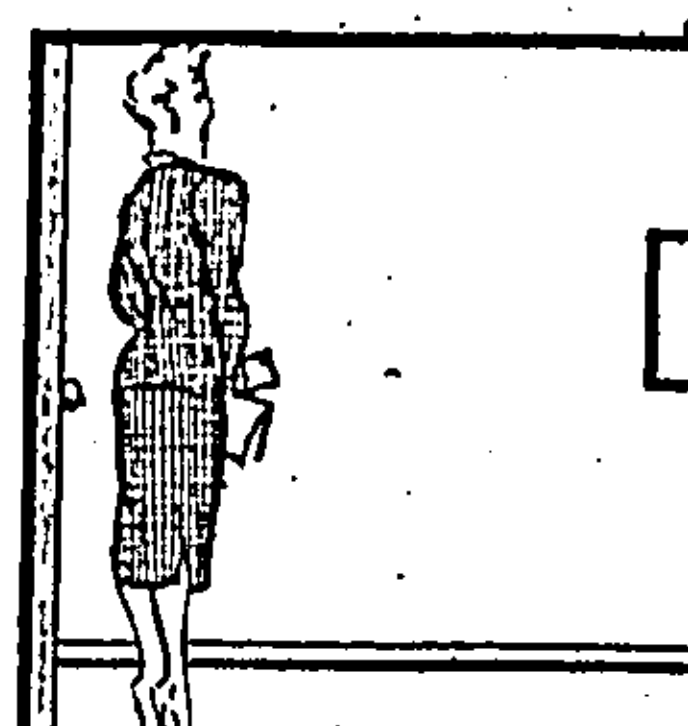
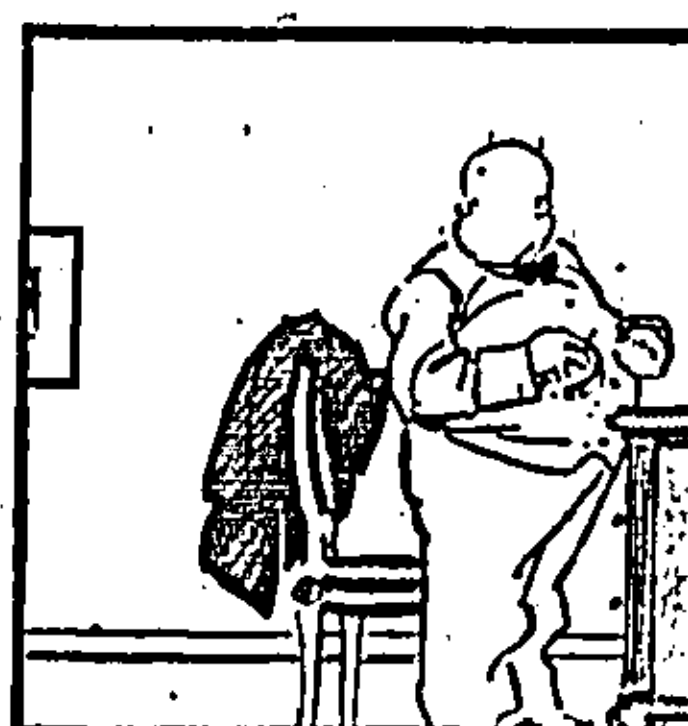
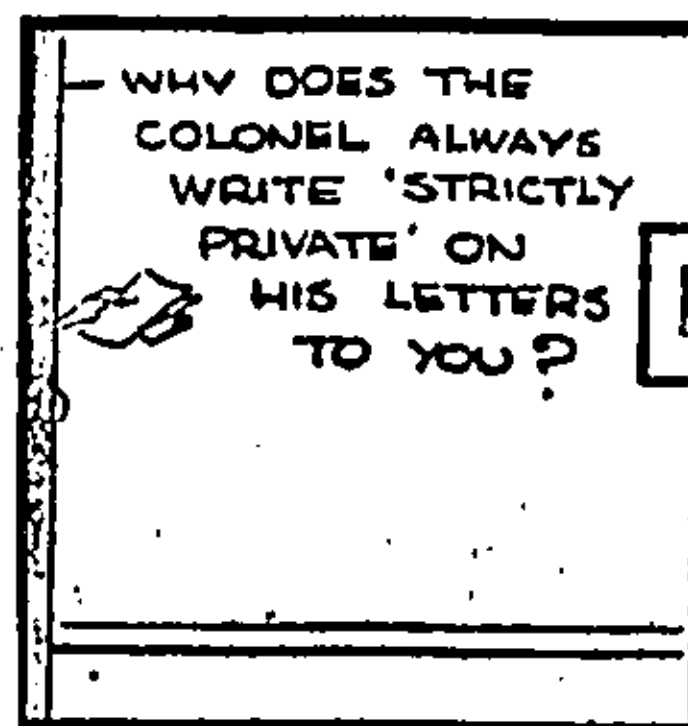
The brother of the former Mary Lillane Baels, the Princess de Rethy, King Leopold's second wife, he left Belgium in 1940 for Lisbon, where he was alleged to have refused (to answer a summons ordering him to rejoin the Free Belgian forces continuing the fight abroad).

The court-room today was practically deserted. Baels entered the Military Court between two armed gendarmes.—Reuters.

combined strength of the Army, Navy and Air forces.

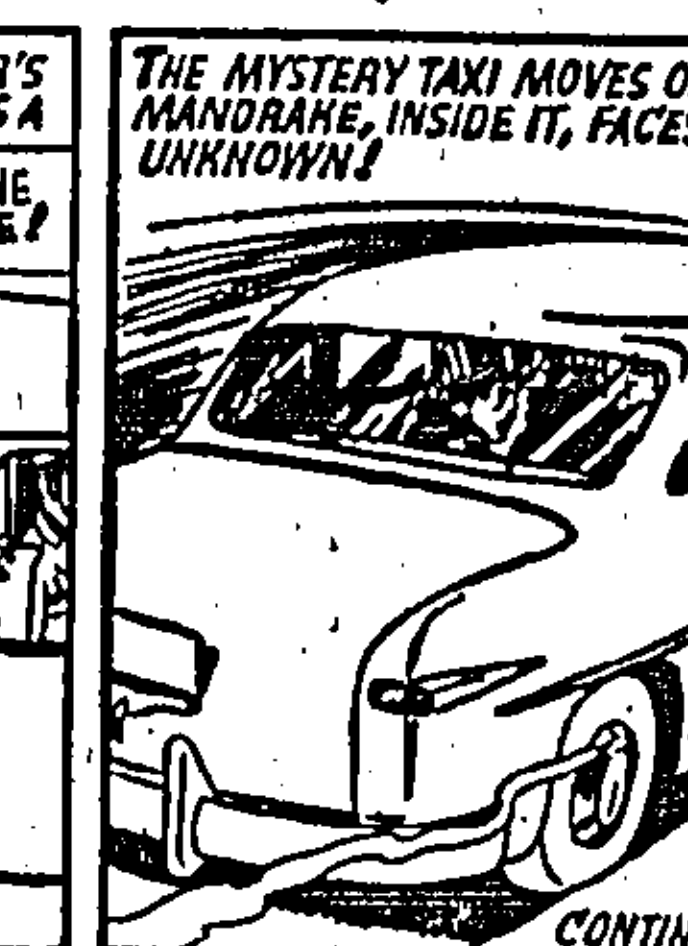
The Committee will also ask General Bradley's views on tightening exemptions in the draft law.—United Press.

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By Lee Falk and Phil Davis



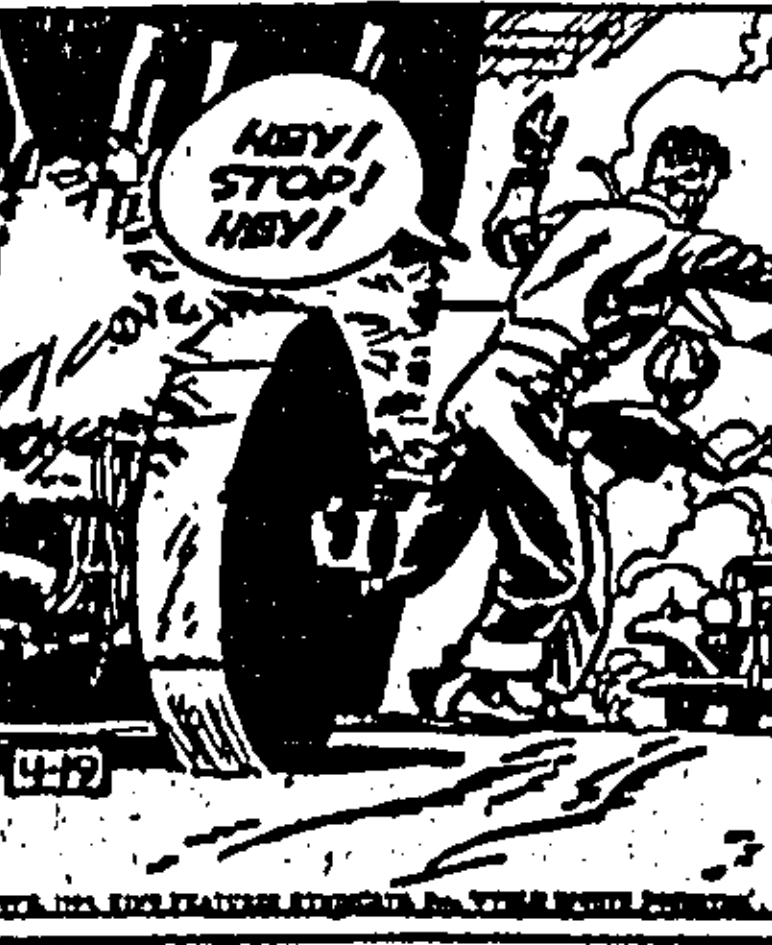
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"SHENGKING"	Keelung	16th July
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"HUPEI"	Tientsin	19th/20th July
"YOCHOW"	Djakarta & Singapore	19th/20th July
"HANYANG"	Bangkok & Saigon	20th/21st July
"SZECHUEN"	Kobe & Keelung	20th/21st July
"SHANSI"	Kobe	21st July
"SINKIANG"	Tientsin	21st/22nd July
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"CHANGTE"	Japan	18th Aug.

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"PATROCLUS"	U.K. & Rotterdam via Straits	17th July
"CYCLOPS"	U.K. via Straits	26th July
"ULYSSES"	U.K. via Straits	3rd Aug.
"ANTIOCHUS"	U.K. via Straits & Manila	12th Aug.
"EURYMEDON"	U.K. via Straits & Labuan	15th Aug.
"PERSEUS"	U.K. & Rotterdam via Straits	16th Aug.
"AUTOLYCUS"	U.K. via Straits	24th Aug.

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P.M.
12.15—Morning Prayers (Studio)
12.30—"Hong Kong Callings"—Programme Summary
12.32—Light Variety
1.00—Philips and His Orch. with 10th Williams and Jean Cavall (Vocal)
1.15—News, Weather Report and Announcements
1.30—"Orchestra Selections"
2.00—"Hime" (HUCTS)
2.30—American Patrol—A Programme of Record Characters, Introduced by Lionel Doo (Studio)
3.00—"Musical Reviews"—Presented by "Hime" (Studio)
4.00—Vocal Gems from "Annie Get your Gun" (Irving Berlin)
4.15—Roberto Ingles and His Orch. —Brazilian
4.30—"Force Chords"—Presented by John Bush (Studio)
6.00—"Unit Requests"—Linda Cater Calling—410 Ind. Plant Troop. B.C. (Studio)
6.55—"Hong Kong Callings"—Programme Summary
6.00—A Serial Story: "Love from Leighton Buzzard" By Philip Odell (London Relay)
6.30—"It's Swinetime"
7.00—"Time for Music"—BBC Midland Light Orch. (HUCTS)
7.30—"Variety Handout"—From the Camberwell Palace, London. (HUCTS)
8.00—World News and News Analysis. (London Relay)
8.15—"Natural Sound-Up" (Studio)
8.30—Music and Song of Vivian Ellis.
9.00—"From the Editorials" (London Relay)
9.10—Weather Report
9.15—Report by the Koppel Quartet.
9.30—"Middle of the Road"—From the Novel by Enslin Childers, Part 6: "Pinnacles" (HUCTS)
10.00—"Cabaret" and Dance Music.
10.10—"Radio News"
11.15—Weather Report.
11.16—Late News Summary.
11.20—"Goodnight Music"
11.30—Close Down.

Redifusion

A.M.
7.00—Up With The Sun.
7.30—Musical Clock.
7.45—Ed. A. Keller Show.
8.00—News and Weather Forecast.
8.15—Sutton Concert Players.
9.00—Morning Music.
9.30—Favourite Classics.
10.00—Morning Melody.
P.M.
12.00—Financial and World News.
12.15—Strike Up The Band.
12.30—Dance Music.
1.15—News.
1.30—The Week's Composer.
2.00—Variety Calls The Tune.
4.00—The Tex Deane Show.
4.15—Tropics.
4.30—Variety Years.
5.00—Unit Requests.
5.30—Love From Leighton Buzzard.
6.00—Ray McKinley Orchestra.
6.15—Spotlight on Shaw.
7.00—Terry and Grace.
7.15—"Ten Time".
7.45—The Harmony Lane.
8.00—H.C. News.
8.10—Local News.
8.15—Old New Orleans.
8.30—Sports Roundup.
8.45—Presenting Roy Nichols.
9.00—Norman Clouston and His Memorable Music.
9.30—Hit Parade.
10.00—H.C. News.
10.15—H.C. News Commentary.
10.30—Cabaret and Dance Music.
11.00—The Nocturne Trio.
11.15—Murder Scrap Book.
11.30—Hit Parade.
12.00—Close Down.

POLITICAL CRISIS IN FRANCE ENDED

Paris, July 13.

The Premier, Rene Pleven, today won a vote of approval for his new middle of the road Cabinet. The official count was 355 to 226. Communists and followers of General Charles de Gaulle formed the core of the opposition.

M. Pleven's victory in the National Assembly ends the political crisis that began on June 24 when Premier Georges Bidault's Cabinet was forced out.

It brings the powerful Socialist Party back into the Government coalition, which it left last February.

M. Pleven defended Jules Moch, his new Socialist Defence Minister, from attacks by both Communists and Rightists. Moch earned the Communists' hatred by his strong police action during strikes when he was Minister of the Interior. The Rightists were concerned lest Moch, as a Socialist, take a soft line towards the Communist-led troops fighting the French in Indo-China.

Said M. Pleven, "I want to remind you that M. Moch has four citations from the war of 1914. And in 1939 he never wanted to quit his uniform."

Communist howls

There were howls of protest from the Communists, who took this as a reference to the fact that their chief, Maurice Thorez, abandoned the French Army for a trip to Moscow early in the war.

One Communist Deputy shouted, "He ordered the workers killed."

The aging Speaker, Edouard Herriot, reminded the Communists gently, "Do not forget that his son was a martyr of the resistance movement."

A bolsheroist Rightist added, "not like Thorez moment came when a deputy Charles Lussy, head of the Socialist group in the Assembly, defended his group's decision to support M. Pleven—whom the Communists call a 'highly camouflaged de Gaulle'."

Another Communist had the confidence of de Gaulle, so did M. Thorez and Charles Tillon, he glibed.

Both these Communist leaders served in Cabinets under de Gaulle.

Dull session

Despite these outbreaks, the session was generally a dull one and its result a foregone conclusion.

Only about one-third of the 621 deputies attended. Most of them had speaking dates in the provinces for tomorrow's celebration of Bastille Day, the French National holiday.

The heads of Party delegations vote for all their followers in France whether the individual deputies are present or not.

The Assembly's vote of approval was passed on a technical point. It decided the pigeon-holing of five formal questions to M. Pleven on the formation of the Cabinet and its policy.—Associated Press.

Commons to adjourn for the summer

London, July 13.

The Deputy Prime Minister, Herbert Morrison, announced today that the House of Commons will begin its summer recess on July 20 and will reconvene on October 17.

Mr. Morrison also said an emergency session of the House would be called if it proved in the public interest.—Associated Press.

SECURITY ORDER IN AMERICA

Washington, July 13.

The United States Defence Secretary, Mr. Louis Johnson, today ordered the United States Army, Navy and Air Force to clamp down on news about the movement of ships, troops and supplies to the Korean war front.

Mr. Johnson sent the Secretary of the three armed services a "security guidance" memorandum laying down the rules to be followed in the release of information.

He also included the security restrictions imposed by General Douglas MacArthur for the Far East Command.

These regulations are applicable only to the release of information by military sources and are commonly referred to as "censorship at the source."

There are no legal restrictions upon disseminating and publishing news obtained by direct news reporting from whatever source.

There are no censorship laws in the United States with the exception of certain provisions of the Atomic Energy Law governing atomic matters.

During the last war, newspapers and radio stations adhered to voluntary codes governing domestic news reports.

Dispatches from correspondents assigned to war theatres were censored in the field by military censors.—Reuter.

San Francisco, July 13.
Peter Maersk arrived today from Yokohama.—Associated Press.

NOTICE

H. M. T.

"EMPIRE FOWEY"

H. M. T. "Empire Fowey" sails at approx 4 p.m. on Sunday 23rd July 1950, with Service personnel and their families (fare-paying civilian passengers are not carried).

This Notice is for the information of visitors wishing to say goodbye to friends who are travelling.

Provided embarkation has been completed, visitors in possession of pink boarding passes may go on board at 11 a.m., but they must leave the ship at 12.30 p.m. Children under twelve are not allowed on board.

To avoid congestion it is regretted that the number of boarding passes issued must be limited to those related to or most closely connected with a passenger. Depending on the Service to which the passenger whom it is desired to visit belongs, application should be made in writing so as to reach the appropriate address below by 12 noon on Thursday, 20th July, 1950:—

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This notice is published by authority of the Commodore-in-Charge and the Port Commandant.

Garden party at Palace

London, July 13.

Six thousand people dropped in at Buckingham Palace today for a cup of tea.

King George and Queen Elizabeth were entertaining the elite—including foreigners from countries in the first half of the alphabet—at the first of two summer garden parties on the Palace lawns.

Some 120 Americans have invitations to the second, which will be held next Thursday. Some Russian diplomats, presumably have invitations too since the USSR and the U.S. rank side by side alphabetically.

A dozen Ambassadors and many other high ranking diplomats arranged to attend in their limousines along with lesser lights, who will ride up to the Palace gates in dumpy London taxis.

Many actually get to meet the King and Queen at these lawn parties. Most, however, count themselves lucky if they manage to see the Royal couple from a distance by straining their necks.—Associated Press.

ANGLO-JAPANESE PACT DELAYED

London, July 13.

The Korean war has delayed construction of Japan's biggest post-war trade pact with the British Commonwealth.

Commonwealth negotiators in Tokyo for some weeks have been trying to hammer out a trade deal involving a total volume of business for the year ending June 30, 1951, of about £150,000,000.

Because Japan still has not the power to conclude agreements with other countries, SCAP officials actually have been in charge of the talks.—Associated Press.

STUDENT-WORKERS

San Francisco, July 14.

Peking Radio reported tonight that over 3,000 students from 11 universities and colleges in North China had, since the beginning of this month, gone in groups to various factories, mining centres and Government organisations or enterprises to do training work during the summer holidays.

The professors of the students are with them to render whatever assistance is necessary.

Traveling and meal allowances are being provided by the Ministry of Education in Peking, the Radio said.—Reuter.

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m.s. "CANTON"	17th July	28th August
m.s. "CARTHAGE"	24th August	25th September

Via Southampton, Port Said, Aden, Bombay, Colombo, Penang & Singapore.

HOMEWARDS	LEAVES HONGKONG	DUE LONDON
m.s. "CORFU"	1st August	8th September
m.s. "CANTON"	14th September	2nd October
m.s. "CARTHAGE"	20th September	20th October
m.s. "CORFU"	27th October	17th November
m.s. "CANTON"	23rd November	24th December
m.s. "CUBAN"	9th December	8th January

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Blast at America by Korean Red

San Francisco, July 13.

General Kim Il-sun, Chairman of the Military Committee of the North Korean Government, has called upon the Korean Army and people to mobilize their entire power "to exterminate the American aggressors and the Syngman Rhee puppets and to bring the just liberation war of the Korean people to a victorious end."

Quoted by Peking Radio

tonight, General Kim began a lengthy review of the Korea war by accusing "American Imperialists" of launching "their armed offensive against our motherland and our people."

Asking why the Americans had sent troops to Korea, General Kim answered by saying that it was because "the American Imperialists, who dream of world domination, are trying to turn our fatherland into a colony under their permanent domination."

He alleged that America did not acknowledge the Korean people's "inborn right to freedom and independence" nor did they regard the Korean people as human beings.

The "American robbers" thought that there could be no other fate for the Korean people than "forever being the colonial slaves of the Wall Street merchants—swallowing their blood, stained money bags."

Maintaining that the "United States" was the "land of the American robber," he said that the American people were "not only the enemy of the Korean people, but also the enemy of the United Nations policy would decry none," the General added. "The United Nations Organization was not established to enable American robbers to abuse the name in order to bomb the cities and villages of our country and to slaughter our people."

War successes

Reviewing North Korean victories in the field, General Kim said: "Though our people's forces are young and lack combat experience, they have heroically demonstrated their spirit of self-sacrifice and have achieved tremendous results in the struggle for the liberation of the fatherland."

"The successes we have gained on the front show the limitless strength of our people who have risen up in their struggle for the independence and freedom of their fatherland," he added. "The brave people's army must and surely can drive the U.S. robbers from our land."

The "People's Daily" of Peking accused the United States of "flagrant crimes" in Korea which had evoked limitless enmity among the Korean people, according to a Communist New China News Agency report received in London today.

In an editorial predicting "victory for the Korean people in their war of liberation," the daily said that in the last four years the United States and the Syngman Rhee regime had executed 150,000 Koreans, arrested 400,000 and outlawed more than 100 political parties and organizations. "Ten universities were closed," the Agency said. It added that in South Korea enterprises, United States "Imperialism" controlled over 90 per cent of the capital. But nine out of 10 mines were closed and 40 per cent of the arable land was uncultivated.

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"RUYS"	In Port	5th Aug.
"BOISSEVAIN"	12th Aug.	5th Sept.
"TIBADAK"	27th Aug.	

JAPAN	ARRIVALS	SAILINGS
"RUYS"	3rd Aug.	15th July
"BOISSEVAIN"	3rd Sept.	15th Aug.

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"MELISKERK"	early Sept.	early Oct.
"MEERKERK"	early Sept.	early Oct.

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JAPAN	ARRIVALS	SAILINGS
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"MELISKERK"	early Sept.	early Aug.
"MEERKERK"	early Sept.	early Sept.

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"STEEL ROVER"	28th July
"STEEL ADMIRAL"	20th Aug.

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m.v. "MINDORO"	28th July

SAILINGS TO EUROPE

m.v. "SUMATRA"	30th July
m.v. "MINDORO"	End Aug.

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Hong Kong Stock Exchange

After a week of uncertainty over the international situation the H.K. Stock market closed quietly steady. A selling wave in sympathy with lower Wall Street indices did not develop, and losses over the period under review were negligible. Buyers, however, were generally hesitant to take on fresh commitments, and the market continues idle.

H.K. Govt. Loans
4% Loan 98.
3 1/2% Loan (1934 & 1940) 92 1/2.
3 1/2% Loan (1948) 95.
Banks
H.K. & S. Bank 120 1/2, 122 1/2.
(Lon. Reg.) 27 1/2.
Chartered Bank 23 1/2, 24.
Oversea Bank & C. 22 1/2, 23 1/2.
Bank of East Asia 10 1/2.
Insurance
Canton Ins. 25 1/2.
Union Ins. 57 1/2.
China Underwriters Ins. 10 1/2.
H.K. Fire Ins. 16 1/2.
Shipping
Douglas 15 1/2.
H.K. & M. Steamships 11 1/2.
Indo China (Ref.) 16 1/2.
(Ref.) 35.
Shells (Steamer) 62 1/2.
Union Waterways 18 1/2.
Asia Nav. 5 1/2.
Docks, Wharves, Godowns, Etc.
H.K. & S. Wharves 7 1/2.
North Point Wharves 5 1/2.
Shanghai Hongkong Wharves 6 1/2, 5 1/2.
H.K. Docks 12 1/2.
China Provisionals 2 1/2.
Shanghai Dockyards 2 1/2.
Wharves 2 1/2.
Mining
Ramb Mines 4 1/2.
H.K. Mines 3 1/2.
Land, Hotels and Buildings
H. & S. Hotels 7 1/2.
H.K. Land 3 1/2.
Shanghai Land 3 1/2.
Humphreys 3 1/2.
H.K. Realities 2 1/2.
Chinese Estate 1 1/2.
Public Utilities
H.K. Tramways 10 1/2, 10 3/4.
Peak Tunnels (Old) 15.
(New) 15.
Star Ferry 6 1/2.
C. Light 9 1/2, 9 3/4, 9 1/2.
(New) 6 1/2.
H.K. Electric 2 1/2, 2 1/4.
Macao Electric 1 1/2.
Industrial
Cold. Mfg. (Ord.) 2 1/2.
Canton Ice 3 1/2.
H.K. Paper 1 1/2.
Stores, Etc.
Dairy Farms 1 1/2.
(Ref.) 2 1/2, 2 1/4.
Watsons 2 1/2, 2 1/4.
L. Crawford 2 1/2.
Sing 2 1/2.
China Emporium 9.
Sun Co., Ltd. 1 1/2.
Kwong Sang Hong 1 1/2.
Wing On H.K. 1 1/2.
Wm. Powell, Ltd. 1 1/2.
Miscellaneous
China Enterprises 1 1/2.
H.K. Construction (Old) 2 1/2.
(New) 1 1/2.
Vibro Filling 1 1/2.
Maraman Investments 9 1/2.
Maraman (H.K.) 7 1/2.
Shanghai Loan 7 1/2.
Yangtze 2 1/2.

Not adequate
Asked if the present stockpile supplies of tungsten are adequate for any major war emergency, the expert said:
"This is a controversial and confidential subject on which I cannot comment."
"But I think reports that they are adequate should be taken with some scepticism."

The expert indicated that although the present stockpile supplies of tungsten are adequate for any major war emergency, the expert said:
"This is a controversial and confidential subject on which I cannot comment."

He said: "We buy all we can get."—United Press.

TUNGSTEN IMPORTS BY AMERICA CEASE

Washington, July 13.
A Commerce Department details expert reported today that United States imports of tungsten from Asiatic sources have dried up since the Communists took over China.
The United States Government stockpiling supplies have come almost entirely from domestic sources.

At the same time, he discounted reports that the cutting off of Chinese supplies has caused price rises in this country.

The most reliable information the Department had obtained showed the price during the past months has remained stable at \$2.00 per pound of 98.8 per cent minimum in 1,000-pound lots.

He added, however, that the Department has not yet received data on price changes since the South Korean War cut off imports from that country which previously had made up a little over five per cent of total United States supply.

Not adequate
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He said: "We buy all we can get."—United Press.

SHAI FOREIGN EXCHANGE

The Bank of China in Shanghai has limited its collection of foreign currencies from the public to United States and Hong Kong dollars, according to Chinese banking quarters in Hong Kong.

The Bank of China is no longer accepting for exchange into Jen Min Piao the Australian Pound, Indian rupee, the Straits dollar and the Canadian dollar, these sources said.

The Bank, however, has announced that holders may convert notes in these currencies, as well as the Pound Sterling and the Swiss franc, to its for exchange and conversion in foreign currencies but where such exchange cannot be effected the Bank will hold the foreign money in safe keeping until it can be done or the owner leaves the country.—Reuter.

NY COTTON

New York, July 13.
Cotton futures closed 20 to 25¢ higher. July contracts expired during the day at a final price of 35.00, down 10¢.

December	36.00
March	36.02-36.03
May	35.98-36.00
July	35.58
Middling spot	35.00 nominal.

—Associated Press.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

s.s. "ANDREW JACKSON"

Having arrived Hong Kong consignees of cargo are hereby notified that all goods have been landed and placed at their risk and expense into the godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., where delivery may be obtained as soon as the goods are landed.

No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the godowns or failure to attend the survey.

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To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged goods are examined. All claims against the vessel must be presented to the Underwriter within fourteen days of the ship's arrival, or they will not be recognised.

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Sterling (E & S Africa)	1/2 1/8 O.D. If under
1/2 1/16	1/2 1/16 O.D. without
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MARKETS AGAIN GO NERVOUS

London, July 13.

World markets turned nervous again today, influenced by Wall Street overnight weakness, the Korean war news and various unsettling international rumours.

Eastern gold markets, apart from Hong Kong, had only moderate movements, Bombay slightly up and Alexandria slightly down.

Gold advanced in Paris.

Tin and rubber prices soared again in all Eastern hemisphere markets. In London tin jumped by no less than £24 a ton while rubber rose to 2s. 6d., its highest price since 1926 when it reached four shillings.

Reuters' index of world commodity prices reached a new high record.

The London Stock Exchange generally declined but there was very little selling.

British Government securities and oil shares partially rallied after rather sharp early falls.

Japanese and German bonds were moderately lower.

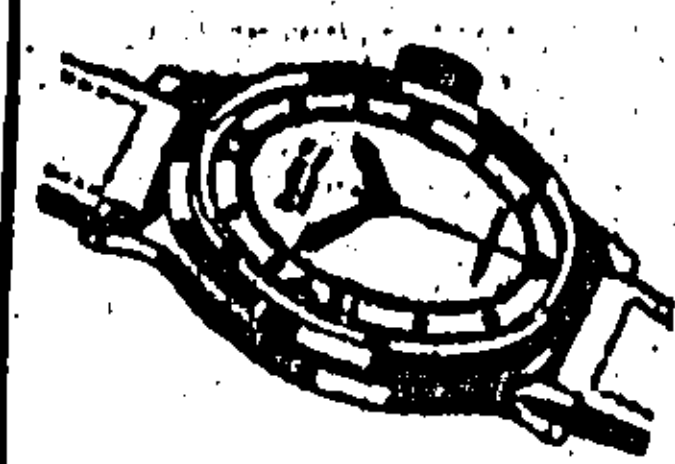
Rubber and tin shares were firm, against the general trend. New York stocks weathered a brief selling storm today with only minor damage.

Losses dominated at the close, mostly a dollar a share or less. Prices were on the way up at the finish and 2,000,000 shares were traded.

Of 1,135 issues traded, 641 declined and 260 advanced, while 200 issues reached new lows for the year.

Among the most active issues were Warner Brothers Pictures, Admiral Corporation, up 1 1/2 at 21, Emerson Radio.

Dow Jones Averages: 20 Industrials 197.14; 10 Ralls 53.50; 10 Utilities 37.65.



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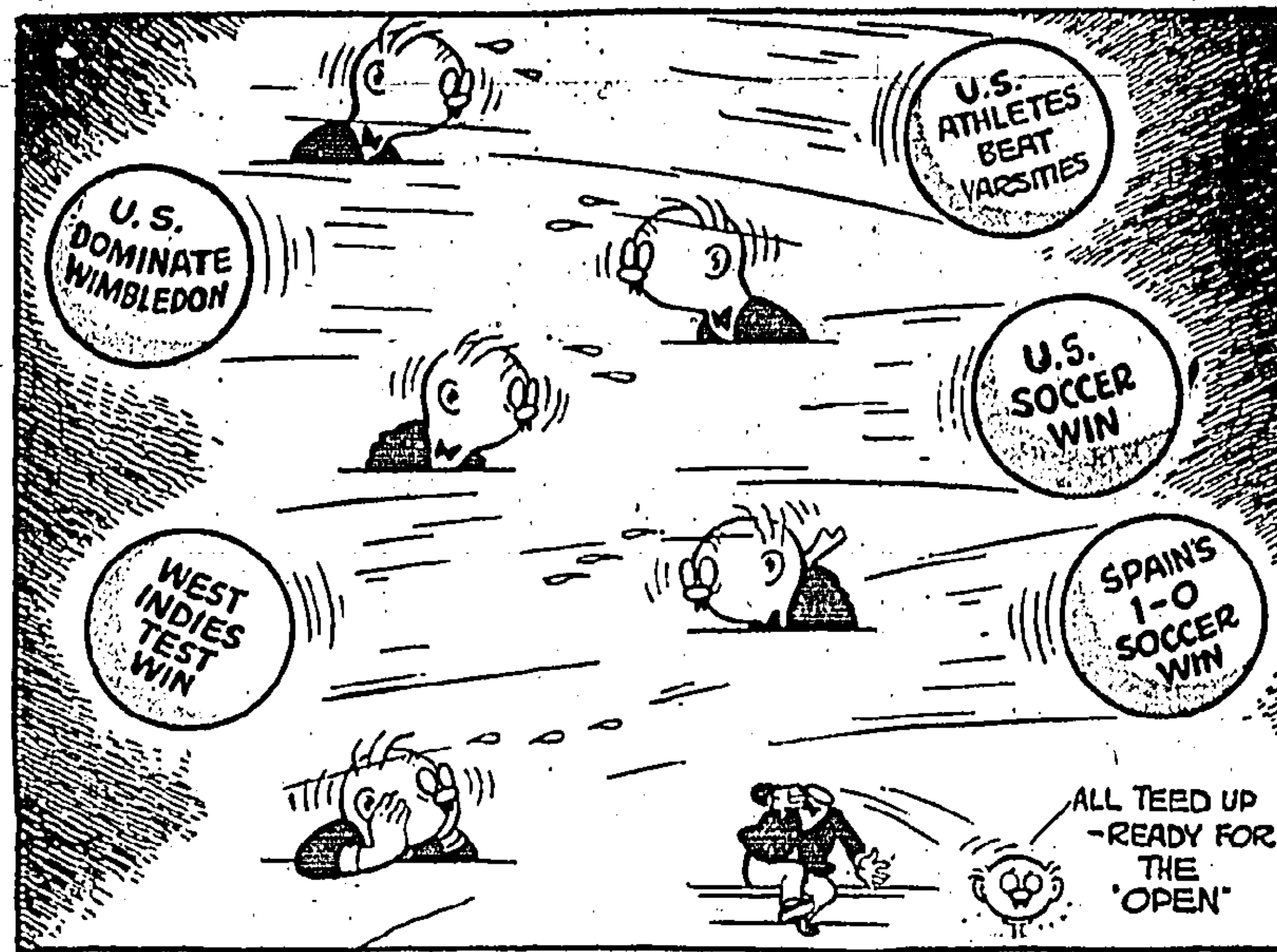
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DEAD BALL

TENNIS
MATCHES

In a postponed Men's Doubles "C" Division Tennis League match played at the United Services Recreation Club yesterday, the home team defeated the Hong Kong Cricket Club by seven sets to two.

In the Men's Doubles "D" Division, South China AA's team of schoolboys accounted for Recreation by seven sets to two.

South China AA were without the services of two of their best players yesterday, George Lin Jr. who is on the sick list and Maurice Ma, who has left for Bangkok.

However, George Lin Jr.'s younger brother, Sandy Lin, who is only 14 years old, partnered Peter Ng to win two sets for South China AA.

Results

The following are the results of matches played yesterday:

Men's Doubles "C" Division
USRC 7-HKCC 2
A. J. Catley and A. H. Tottle (USRC) beat C. Barclay and A. Bowden 6-0; beat T. Mahon and G. S. Coxhead 6-1; beat K. Wilson and J. Cox 6-0.

S. Redhead and P. Crossley (USRC) drew with Barclay and Bowden 6-6; beat Mahon and Coxhead 6-1; drew with Wilson and Cox 6-0.
E. Hancock and J. Mockford (USRC) beat Barclay and Bowden 6-1; beat Mahon and Coxhead 6-4; lost to Wilson and Cox 3-6.

CRC 2-B-KDC 1
S. Cheung and K. F. Fung (CRC) beat D. Norman and E. G. K. Humphreys 6-1; beat J. E. F. Blenkinsop and L. Wilson 6-4; beat J. H. Clark and B. McCall 6-1.

Y. Y. Jong and B. W. Choy (CRC) beat Norman and Humphreys 6-2; beat Blenkinsop and Wilson 6-1; beat Clark and McCall 6-1.
C. F. Wong and Y. W. Chung (CRC) beat Norman and Humphreys 6-2; lost to Blenkinsop and Wilson 5-7; beat Clark and McCall 6-1.

Men's Doubles "D" Division
IRC 7-KDC 2
S. A. Currie and F. Rumjahn (IRC) beat W. Gaffney and A. E. Elliott 6-0; beat W. Chambers and W. R. Bailey 6-2; beat C. I. Collins and S. F. Telford 6-0.
S. H. Khan and L. Harman (IRC) lost to Gaffney and Elliott 0-6; beat Chambers and Bailey 6-1; beat Collins and Telford 6-2.
R. A. Bux and S. M. Rumjahn (IRC) lost to Gaffney and Elliott 1-6; beat Chambers and Bailey 6-0; beat Collins and Telford 6-0.

SCAA 7-Recreation 2
I. Tyan and Fritz Lin (SCAA) lost to W. Lawrence and A. Azedo 2-6; beat A. Xavier and J. Guterres 6-3; beat D. E. A. Remedios and E. J. Noronha 6-3.
Z. C. King and Guy Lum (SCAA) beat Lawrence and Guterres 6-0; beat Xavier and Remedios 6-3; beat Noronha 6-3.

Mixed Doubles "B" Division
HKU 2-CRC 0
N. Lo and Mrs. R. Lo (HKU) beat R. K. Tse and Mrs. C. Choy 6-1; beat L. G. Kowloon and Mrs. G. Chow 6-4; lost to C. F. Choy and Mrs. H. Lau 4-6.
T. Lo and Miss M. Sautters (HKU) lost to Tse and Mrs. Choy 2-6; beat Kowloon and Mrs. Chow 6-4; lost to Choy and Mrs. Lau 6-0.
D. Lo and Miss M. Ahwee (HKU) lost to Tse and Mrs. Choy 2-6; lost to Kowloon and Mrs. Chow 6-4; lost to Choy and Mrs. Lau 6-0.

Following this game, the girls from the Chinese Club will play a match with a Chi Lik squad at 6.35 p.m.

In the nightcap, which will commence at 7.15 p.m. the South China AA team will be pitted against Chi Lik's senior cagers. An entrance fee of \$1 will be charged and all proceeds received will be used for the running of the War Memorial Welfare and Recreational Centre which is located on the Southern Playground.

LAWN BOWLS:

Recreio "Blue"
expected to beat
Craigengower

By "JACK-HIGH"

The most interesting game on today's Lawn Bowls programme is, without doubt, the match at King's Park, where Club do Recreio "Blue" entertain Craigengower Cricket Club.

In their first meeting earlier in the season, the Portuguese went down to Craigengower by a very narrow margin, after winning on two rinks.

Craigengower slipped very badly last week, when they went down to a crushing defeat at the hands of Kowloon Cricket Club.

For this reason, I expect the Portuguese to win today's game by at least four points to one.

Another good game should be seen at Austin Road, where Kowloon Bowling Green Club will be at home to Hong Kong Football Club.

As they will have the advantage of playing at home, the Austin Road Club should come out on top.

Indian Recreation Club should have no difficulty in winning their game against Kowloon Cricket Club at Cox's Road, while Club do Recreio "White" are expected to beat Police Recreation Club.

Very even affair

In the Second Division, Indian Recreation Club will be at home to Kowloon Cricket Club in what promises to be the best game in this Division.

This encounter should prove to be a very even affair, with the odds slightly in favour of the Indians by virtue of the fact that they will be playing at home.

Other probable winners should be Police Officers Club, Hong Kong Cricket Club and Talcoo, who are playing Kowloon Bowling Green Club, Hong Kong Football Club and Filipino Club respectively.

Formidable combination

Club do Recreio, leaders in the Third Division, will be visiting Happy Valley for their game against Craigengower Cricket Club.

The Valley lads are a very formidable combination on their own green and with such stalwarts as A. J. Coelho, M. J. Medina and Dr. C. W. Lam, the Portuguese will find them hard to beat. I am inclined to think that Craigengower will win this match.

Hong Kong Electric Recreation Club will be at home to Kowloon Docks at Ming Yuen.

After their brilliant victory over Recreation last week, I fully expect the Ming Yuen team to win.

Indian Recreation Club should account for Kowloon Cricket Club at Sookunpo.

Today's games

The following are the fixtures for today:

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KBGC v POC
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TDC v FC

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THIRD DIVISION

HKERC v KDC
IRC v KCC
CCC v Recreio

Nine Dragons
Amateur Boxing
Championship

The Nine Dragons Club have, in conjunction with Service officials, made arrangements for the sponsoring of an Amateur Open Boxing Competition under the Imperial Services Boxing Association Rules at the Nine Dragons Club, Kowloon.

Preliminary bouts will be held on Wednesday, August 16, 23, 30, and September 6, 13, 20. The finals will be on September 27.

The competition will be restricted to all other ranks of the three Services.

All competitors will be required to complete an entry form giving number, rank, name and Regiment and to sign a declaration certifying amateur status.

The competition will be open to all the recognized eight weights, and a "no contest" in any one weight will be declared if the entrants are less than four in number.

Entry forms may be obtained from the Nine Dragons Services Club. These should be completed and returned to the Manager, Mr. Woolam, by 11 p.m. on August 6. Entries received after this date will not be accepted.

Medical certificates.

All competitors will be required to produce at the weighing-in a medical certificate of fitness signed by his unit Medical officer. Such a certificate will be required for each subsequent fight of successful competitors.

No boxer will be permitted to enter the ring who has not complied with these regulations.

The weighing-in will take place at 7 p.m. on Tuesday August 16 in the Nine Dragons Services Club. Upon completion of the weighing-in the draw will be announced.

During the period over which the competition is spread, the policy will be required to weigh in the morning prior to each night's boxing.

Duration of rounds will be preliminary: 2 x 2 min Rounds; main: 2 x 2 min Rounds; and 2 x 2 min Rounds.

Leicestershire
all out for 352

Leicester, July 14.

Leicestershire added only 45 runs for the last six wickets before being dismissed by the West Indies for 352 this morning and were forced to follow on.

After the feat of run getting on the first two days the game underwent a startling change today, five Leicestershire batsmen being dismissed by the West Indies in 40 minutes with only 11 runs added to the overnight score.

When the side was all out for 352 runs after another 53 minutes' play today, 34 of the 45 runs added came from a lively last wicket stand by Ken Smith and Sperry.

Valentine and Ramadhin suddenly took complete control for the first time in the innings, their spinners moving so viciously off a pitch, slightly affected by rain, that the batsmen were forced to lurch at their own mistakes.

Valentine off whom no run was scored in the first 43 minutes took three wickets for 14 runs in nine overs and Ramadhin two wickets for 16 runs.

Dublin, July 13.

A fierce wind and rain storm, coming in from the Irish Sea across the Royal Dublin Links, today rocketed scores sky-high in the second round of the Irish Open Golf Championship.

The game continued with tremendous force throughout the day and at times made the golf completely farcical. Nearly a dozen players were forced to retire.

Successful battle

Out of the shambles arose the Australian professional, Ossie Pickworth, to lead the field at the halfway stage with an aggregate of 144. Won and lost by the wind and soaked by the rain, Pickworth used all his strength against the elements to return 74.

Australian-born Bill Shankland, a professional in England, was lying second, one stroke behind. He also was round in 74.

Close of play
scores in
County cricket

London, July 13.

The following were the close of play scores in first-class cricket matches played today:

At Barry: Glamorgan versus Royal Air Force match was abandoned owing to rain. Glamorgan 241 and 251 for no wicket. The Royal Air Force 137 and 180 (Shireff 53, McConnon, right-arm offspin bowler, four for 23).

At Edinburgh: Yorkshire 314 for nine declared and 119 for four. Scotland 188 (Nichol 50, Edmond 54).

At Taunton: Warwickshire 480 for five declared (Gardner 215 not out). Somerset 216. No play was possible since tea owing to rain.

At the Oval: Surrey 278 and 262 (E. Beeson 58, McIntyre 50, Cooke left-arm slow bowler, seven for 114). Gloucestershire 147 (Laker, right-arm offspin bowler, four for 42) and four for no wicket.

At Worcester: Middlesex 355 and nine for one wicket. Worcester left-arm slow bowler, seven for 114). Gloucestershire 147 (Laker, right-arm offspin bowler, four for 42) and four for no wicket.

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PETER WHITEHEAD
WINS JERSEY

INT'L MOTOR RACE

Jersey, July 13.

Peter Whitehead, of Britain, driving a Ferrari, today won the Jersey International road motor race at an average speed of 90.54 miles an hour.

Whitehead, who touched 140 miles per hour, beat the previous best average set up by F. Gurney of Britain, in 1948, of 87.33 miles per hour.

The winner led from start to finish over the 55 laps totalling 176 miles. Twelve of the 19 starters completed the course.

A. Maserati, was second, and Baron de Grafenrold, of Switzerland, also on a Maserati, was third. The fastest lap was recorded by David Hampshire, in a Maserati with an average speed of 94.43 miles per hour.

Hamagata, July 13.

Shirley May France was pulled from the water four miles off Hamagata today, ending a planned 16-mile training swim in the English Channel.

France was last seen at 10.30 a.m. when she was last seen. She was last seen at 10.30 a.m. when she was last seen.

Two boats accompanied the 16-year-old swimmer. One was a motorboat and the other was a lifeboat. The motorboat was a motorboat and the lifeboat was a lifeboat.

MIDLAND
COUNTIES
LAWN TENNIS
TOURNAMENT

Birmingham, July 13.

Harendra Nath, India's No. 3, today beat Howard Walton, former British Davis Cup player, by 6-1 and 6-1 to reach the men's singles semi-finals in the Midland Counties' Lawn Tennis tournament here.

Nath opposes Jaroslav Drobny, the self-exiled Czech ace, tomorrow, while the other semi-final will be between P. Koon-hung, of Hong Kong, and Sidwell, of Australia.

Today beat Czechoslovakian, former Polish Davis Cup player, by 6-2, 4-6 and 7-5.

SWEDEN LEADS
POLAND IN
DAVIS CUP

Bastad, Sweden, July 13.

Torsten Johansson today won the first singles for Sweden in the Davis Cup semi-finals of the European zone, defeating Josef Plick, Poland, 6-1, 6-3, 6-4.

Lennart Bergelin increased Sweden's lead by winning the second singles over Wladislaw Skonecki, Poland, 6-3, 6-2, 6-1.